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Records
of
Lynn Local Meeting
of
Ministry and Counsel
6th Mo. 3, 1946 -

JUNE 1946

Lynn Local Meeting on
Ministry and Counsel held
June 3, 1946.
6 members present.

After a season of devotion the
records of the last meeting were
read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly
Meeting in Amesbury attended
with one exception.

Arrangements are being made
for James Wild to be at our
Meeting on June 9.

We unite in recommending
to the Monthly Meeting that the
expenses of Everett and Marie Chapman
at Yearly Meeting to be held at
Andover, Mass. be paid by that
Meeting.

We approve of omitting the
Meetings on Ministry and Counsel
in July and August.

We appoint Marie E. Chapman
Gertrude H. Lawrence and John N. Mader

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our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight to be ^{held} in Lynn Aug. 17. 1946.

We unite in omitting the Mid-Week Meetings during July and August but not the regular Monthly Meetings in those Months.

John N. Mader, Florence B. Aldrich and Annie S. Derrier are appointed a Committee to act with a similar Committee from the Monthly Meeting to nominate Elders for three years.

We conclude to meet at the call of the Clerk.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

SEPT. 1946

At a called meeting of Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held Sept. 9. 1946.

10 members present.

The devotional period was followed by reading the records of the last Meeting, which were accepted.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Oversight report they attended.

The following were speakers at the Sunday Morning services.

Aug. 4 and 11 W. Carlton Jones

Aug 18 Everett W. Chapman

Aug 25 James A. Conely

Sept 1 Leslie H. Barrett.

The Meetings have been fairly well attended and the messages brought by the different speakers were very helpful.

Visitors from other Meetings were with us nearly every Sunday.

The study of Faith and Practices of the Society of Friends - rather the new Discipline has been suggested for the Wednesday evening.

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meetings. This meets with our approval.

The problem of the Bible School has claimed our serious consideration. Visitation among the members of the Meeting is recommended.

The possibility of holding Cottage Prayer Meetings on Wednesday nights except the second Wednesday in the month, was given some thought.

The business being finished, we conclude to meet the first Monday night in October.

W. Carlton Jones
clerk.

Oct. 1946

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Council held Oct. 7, 1946.

8 members present.

A devotional period was followed
by reading the records of the last
Meeting. These were approved.

The Queries have been read at this
time and we appoint Certificate 28.
Lawrence, Margorie E. Chase, John H.
Mader, Everett W. Chapman and
Caroline E. Foster our Representatives
to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and
Council to be held in Lawrence
the 19th inst.

The study of Faith and Practice of
the Society of Friends, which has been
the subject of the past three
Wednesday evenings Meetings, has been
very interesting and helpful.

The conduct of the Bible School is
now under the care of a Committee
on Religious Education appointed by
the Monthly Meeting. We trust
this arrangement will serve to
increase the interest and attendance.

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We unite in forwarding to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Council a suggestion that the Quarterly Meeting Alternate between Amesbury and North Ware rather than between Lawrence and North Ware as at present and meeting each year in Lawrence thus relieving the Amesbury Meeting.

The Bible School is trying out the use of Moving Pictures, for a few weeks.

The Missionary Society plans for meetings on Sunday afternoons as follows, Oct 27 Nov. 26 Dec 24 and Jan 20. We unite with these plans.

There being no further business we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
clerk

Nov 1946 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held Nov. 4, 1946.

5 Members present

In the absence of the Clerk Gertrude
Lawrence served as clerk for the day.

The Minute sent by Lynn Meeting
to the Quarterly Meeting regarding
the changing around of Meeting
places for the quarterly Meeting sessions
was further considered.

The matter of cottage prayer
meetings was considered and we
write in asking Everett Chapman
to work out a plan for one Sunday
afternoon or evening a month.

It was approved that letters be sent
to Elizabeth Monigan in So. Boston and
Irene Ziminess Bright in Athens, W. Va.
asking for an expression as to their
wishes regarding their membership
in Lynn Meeting.

Also that letters be written to
Friends ^{meeting} in Wilmington, Calif.
regarding the possibility of interesting
the Mack family in membership there.

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and that a letter be written to Herbert and Theresa Mack suggesting that they transfer their Membership to a Friends Meeting in California.

The Meeting recommends to the Monthly Meeting that the name of Fred Larsen be discontinued from the List of Lyon Meeting.

The names of Patricia Foster and Marion Brown were considered and Everett Chapman agreed to visit them.

The question of holding the Meeting on Ministry and Council at the call of the clerk instead of at regular stated times was considered.

The work of the Bible School was discussed and plans presented for November and December.

No further business appearing, we concluded purposing to meet at the regular time.

(Signed) Gertrude H. Lawrence
clerk for the day.

DEC. 1946

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Council held Dec. 4, 1946

8 members present.

After a devotional period reading
of the records of the Oct. and Nov.
Meetings were read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly
Meeting held at Lawrence Oct. 19, 1946
report they attended.

Ethel Gifford, W. C. T. U. State Director
of Scientific Temperance Instruction
was very acceptably in attendance
at our Morning Meeting Nov. 3. and
brought a very helpful message.

A Christmas party is arranged
for Sunday afternoon Dec. 23. to
which the parents as well as others
interested are especially invited.

The visitation at Lawrence on the
evening of Nov. 15. was a very
pleasant occasion. 45 going from
our Meeting.

Dec 1946. We approve of Everett W. Chapman as our minister and recommend to the Monthly Meeting that he be called for another year, at a salary of \$1800⁰⁰ and house rent.

There being no further business we conclude to meet at the usual time in January.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

JAN. 1947. Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held Jan. 6. 1947.
7 Members present.

The devotional period was led by the clerk.

The time for which the clerk was
appointed having expired we unite in
the reappointment of W. Carlton Jones to
serve for the coming year.

Records of the last Meeting read and
approved.

The clerk has written to Elizabeth Monigan
and Irene Timiness Bright regarding
their membership by as yet, no reply
has been received.

A letter from the Macks, informs of
their frequent moving and suggesting
the dropping of their names from our
list of members.

We therefore recommend to the
Monthly Meeting the names of
Herbert and Theresa Mack be dropped
from our list of active members and
the names of their children, Herbert
Mack and Gertrude J. Mack be dropped
from our Associate List.

Jan. 9-7 The Queries have been read and considered at this time.

We appoint John N. Mader, Gertrude H. Lawrence and Annie S. Derrier our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel to be held in Cambridge Jan. 18. 1907.

We unite in recommending to the monthly meeting that 100.⁰⁰ be given to Everett W. Chapman for incidental expenses during the coming year.

The clerk is directed to write to the Minister at Long Beach Calif. Meeting regarding the Mack family being in that vicinity.

After considering some of our members and the Bible School work we conclude to meet at the regular time in February.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

Feb. 1947 Laymen Local Meeting on Ministry
and Counsel held Feb. 8. 1947.
6 members present.

A season of devotion was followed
by the reading of the minutes of
the last meeting which were approved.

The Clerk has written to the
minister at Long Beach Calif.
regarding the Tracts, also a
second letter to Irene Bright
and Elizabeth Managan.

A reply has been received from
Irene Bright suggesting we drop
her name from our list of
members as there is no Friends
meeting where she is now living.
We recommend to the Monthly
Meeting that this be done.

Our prayers and best wishes
for a speedy recovery, go out
to Everett Chapman who has been
ill since the middle of
January.

On Jan. 19 Cecil Pearson was
with us and Jan. 26 Edna
Heviland. also James Wild on Feb. 2.

Feb. 1947 Their helpful messages were well received

When, in the absence of our minister a speaker is provided for the Sunday Morning Meeting we recommend that Ten dollars be paid to such a one.

We unite in recommending that Herman J. Lawrence be appointed an additional member of the Meeting on Ministry and Board.

There being no further business, we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
clerk.

MAR. 1947.

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Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Counsel held March 3, 1947.

6 members present.

We are thankful to have Everett Chapman with us again.
A devotional period was followed
by reading the records of the
last meeting. These were approved.

The problem of dealing with the
Le Rouches, who continue to come
to the Sunday morning meeting
and speaking - has claimed our
consideration as well as the best
interests of the meeting and Bible
School but we have no recommendations
to make at this time.

Concluded.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

M+R. 1947

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Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Council held March 31. 1947
13 members present.

After a season of devotion the records
of the last meeting were read and accepted.

We appoint W. Carlton, Gertrude H. Lawrence
and Everett W. Chapman a committee to
submit to the next meeting on Ministry and
Council a report on the Spiritual Condition
of our meeting.

The children of the meeting's Bible School will
participate in the Easter Service on Sunday
morning April 6.

A request by the Seventh Day Adventists
for the use of our Meeting House has
claimed our consideration at this time.
We recommend to the Monthly Meeting
that this request be not granted.

The interests of the Sunday morning
meeting has further been considered.

There being no other business, we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

APR. 1947
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Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel. held April 28, 1947.
9 members present.

The devotional period was followed by
reading the records of the last Meeting.
These were approved.

A report of the Spiritual Condition of
our Meeting has been submitted, with
which we unite and forward to the
Monthly Meeting.

The Inquiries have been read and considered
at this Meeting and we appoint Bertine H.
Lawrence, Marjorie B. Chase Annie S. Bernier
and John N. Mader. our Representatives to
the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel
to be held in Amesbury May 17, 1947.

A special Meeting has been planned
for May 11, 1947 at 8 o'clock. to consider
Our Place Testimony and its relation
to Membership in the Society of Friends.
On Wednesday evening April 24, 1947
James A. Coney showed pictures taken in
California, South Africa and Palestine in
connection with the Annual Meeting
of the Missionary Society.
Much interest was manifested in the Meeting.

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The children in our meeting and what can be done for them has claimed our consideration at this time.

There being no further business we conclude
- W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

JUNE 1947

Lyon Local Meeting on Ministry and
Council held June 2, 1947.
7 Members present.

A devotional period was followed
by reading the records of the last
Meeting which were approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly
Meeting in Amesbury report they
attended.

The Meeting on May 11, 1947, to consider
our Peace Testimony was fairly well
attended. James Coney was present and
led in the discussion.

We approve of permitting the meetings
on Ministry and Council during July and
August, also the Wednesday night Meetings
except the regular Monthly Meeting.

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Maryone B. Chase W. Carlton Jones and
Gertrude H. Lawrence are appointed a
committee to act with a similar
committee from the Monthly Meeting
to nominate Elders for three years.

We appoint Corrine C. Foster, Marie
B. Chapman and Annie S. Carrier our
Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
on Ministry and Council to be held in
Ligon, Aug. 16, 1947.

We approve of W. Carlton Jones
having the Sunday Morning Meetings
in August except the one following
the Quarterly Meeting when Ernest
Chapman will be present.

The business coming before us
being accomplished we conclude
to meet at the call of the clerk.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

SEPT. 1909 Cyron Local Meeting on Ministry
and Council held Sept. 8, 1909.
9 members present.

A devotional season was followed by
reading the records of the last meeting
which was held June 2, 1909.
These records were approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly
Meeting all attended.

The Sunday Morning Meetings during
August were well maintained and
attended.

We recommend that Everett W. Chapman
be called as our minister until
June 30, 1909.

The Finance of the Meeting were
considered and also the Bible School
work.

The Wednesday Evening Meetings were
carefully considered especially as to the
lack of interest and attendance shown
by many of our members.

No further business coming before us
we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

Oct. 7, 47

Sporn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Counsel held Oct. 7, 1947
10 members present.

A period of devotion was followed by
reading the records of the last
Meeting. These were approved.

The Inquiries have been read and
considered. We appoint Gertrude
H. Lawrence Wilcarton Jones and
Marie G. Chapman our representatives
to the Quarterly Meeting to be held
in Ware N. H. on the 18th inst.

The Wednesday night meeting
was again claimed our attention.

Bible School started last Sunday.

No further business appearing
we conclude.

W. Cartton Jones
Clerk.

Nov. 1/47 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Counsel held Nov. 3, 1947.
8 Members present.

Following a devotional season
the records of the last meeting
were read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly
Meeting all attended.

Wednesday night Oct. 15 a meeting
was held at the home of Emma W.
Fisher which was well attended.
Jerry Pearson, a traveling friend
from Ireland met with us and
had very acceptable service.

The Turkey Supper, sponsored by the
Finance Committee, on Wednesday
Oct. 22, was well attended and
enjoyed. During the evening
Edith Chapman gave us a talk
on the Finances of the Meeting, urging
us to take a forward look regarding them.

Wed. Oct. 29 a well attended Forum
was held with Prof. Miss Generalie
of Boston University as speaker.

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This proved a very interesting and enlightening Meeting, being sponsored by the Quarterly Meetings Race Committee. The subject was 'The United Nations. Will it disintegrate? disintegrate?' A second Meeting was planned for Wed. Nov. 5. with a discussion 'The Polit. Bur. in the Soviet Union. Robert V. Benedict speaker.

An Epistle from the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Council emphasizing the responsibility of this body has been read.

There being no further business we conclude.

Carroll Jones
A.M.

DE-1947 *Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Council held Dec. 1, 1947
7 members present.*

*The Nov. 5th Meeting was fairly well
attended and much interest manifested.
On Nov. 19 George Sellick and
Robert Cirullo led in a discussion
on Universal Military Training.
This too was very instructive and
enlightening.*

*Wed. Dec. 3, a Prayer Meeting is
to be held at the home of John H. Mader.*

*Rabbi Karberg will speak here Dec. 14,
at 6 o'clock on Palestine. This
meeting is sponsored by the Missionary
Society.*

*A concern has been brought before us
in regard to holding the Sunday
morning meetings for worship in
the room downstairs during the
winter months or providing better
seating for the main auditorium.
We will be forwarding this concern to the
Monthly Meeting for its consideration.*

*We approve of omitting the Wed. night
meeting Dec. 24.*

Concluded, Harolds Jones Clerk.

JAN. 1948

Syn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Council held 1st Mo. 5. 1948
at 14 Parkside St. Cambridge.
7 Members present.

The devotional period was followed
by reading the minutes of the
last meeting which were approved.

The time for which the clerk was
appointed we unite in requesting
W. Carlton Jones to that office for
the ensuing year.

The Minutes have been read and
considered and we appoint Messrs
J. Bliss, Gertrude Lawrence and
Robert W. Chapman our representatives
to the Quarterly Meeting to be held in
Cambridge on the 17th inst.

The Meeting on 12 mo 3rd 14th at which
Rabbi Harberg spoke was a very
interesting one and well attended.
On 12 mo 14th a watch night service was
held at the home of Grace L. Atkins
which was enjoyed by those present.

The Organization of our Meeting has
was considered and also our

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responsibility and maintenance of the
Meeting on Ministry and Counsel.

We want to recommend to the
Monthly Meeting that \$15.00 be
given to Ensign W. Chapman for
incidentals expenses during the
coming year.

No further business coming before
we conclude.

W. Carter, pres.
Chap.

FEB. 1948.

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held 2nd Mo. 2nd 1948. at
14 Berkshire St. Swampscott. -
6 Members present.

A devotional period was followed by
reading the records of the last meeting
which were approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
report they all attended.

Owing to the cold weather and severe
snow storms no meetings for worship were held.

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on Sunday mornings 1st Mo. 13 and 25th or
on Wednesday nights the ~~21st~~ and 28th.
The Meeting on the 21st was held at the
parsonage.

We recommend to the Monthly Meeting
that a News letter be issued once a
month and a sum of money be
appropriated for that purpose.

Realizing that the location of our
Meeting House is not now where we
can render the best service and be
as helpful as we should, we believe
that a new location is desirable and
recommend that the Monthly Meeting
present this concern to the Permanent
Board which meets in Cambridge on
2nd Mo 23, 1948, for its counsel and advice,
with the hope of some action being
taken at an early date.

No further business coming before us
we Conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

MAY 1948
 Concerning
 the Meetings
 in March &
 April

Lyon Local Meeting on Ministry
 and Council held May 3, 1948
 9 members present

In the absence of the Clerk,
 Gertrude H. Lawrence was appointed
 Clerk for the day.

An oral report of the previous Meetings
 has been given at which it was recom-
 mended to the Monthly Meeting that the
 following names be discontinued from
 the membership lists: Frances Mary Mahan,
 Lenore Morley, Evelyn Morley, Valigora,
 La Valley, Joseph A Valley and Eugene A Valley.

The Queries have been read and considered.
 The Committee appointed in third month
 has presented a report on the spiritual
 condition of the Lyon Meeting. This
 report is approved and forwarded to the
 Lyon Monthly Meeting.

The following Friends are named as our
 representatives to the Quarterly Meeting on
 Ministry and Council, to be held in
 Amherst 5th mo. 15. Gertrude H. Lawrence
 Marie C. Chapman and Louis S. Turner.

May 11/45
Soint.

Upon Request Everett Chapman gave a brief informal ~~case~~ report of his work throughout the city to help others in the line of personal counseling. The meeting is united in believing that there is great value in talking our concerns over in the Ministry and Council Meeting. To be able to discuss the problems of the Meeting and of the community in a spirit of love and understanding will result in spiritual growth of individuals in the Meeting.

The value of silence in our Meeting for Worship is recognized as a vital contribution to Inward Worship. The concern has been expressed as to the kind of Meeting for Worship which will best fill the needs of our groups and we are united in recommending that Everett Chapman bring this concern before the Meeting for Worship at some opportune time.

No further business appearing we conclude proposing to meet at the appointed time in 6th month.

(Signed)

Bertrude R. Lawrence
Clerk for the day.

June 1948.

Comm Local Meeting on Ministry and
Council held at the Meeting House
6th Month 2nd 1948.

7 Members present.

Following a season of devotion the
records of the Meeting held in 5th mo.
were read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly
Meeting in Amesbury, attended with
one exception.

The concern regarding the conducting
of the First day morning Meeting
was presented at the Meeting on
5th Mo. 16th, emphasizing the silent
period and encouraging all to take
part as led by the Spirit.

We unite in only Meeting during
7th and 8th months at the call of
the Clerk and also in omitting the
4th day evening Meeting except the
regular Monthly Meeting.

We also appoint at this time our
Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
on Ministry and Council to be held
in Sept. 8th mo. 21st. the following viz:

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Corinne E. Foster. Gertrude H. Lawrence
and W. Carlton Jones.

As Everett and Marie Chapman are
to be on their vacation during 8th mo.,
except the first and third First Day we
invite in ^{W. Carlton} W. Carlton Jones for the time
they are away.

There being no further business
we conclude -

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

July 11, 1948
Special Mtg.

A special meeting of Lynn Local
meeting on Ministry and Counsel was
called at the rise of the Meeting 1st mo. 11.
In order to enable Everett and Marie Chapman
to visit the different Yearly Meetings re-arranged
by the Fellowship Council, the suggestion is made
that W. Carlton Jones take charge of the
Meeting on First day 3rd mo 22nd. This
allowing Everett Chapman to be away for the
whole of 8th month to attend as many Yearly Meetings
as may be advisable. He will not return for the
Salem Quarterly Meeting sessions, but will be back
to take charge of the Meeting for Fellowship First day
7th mo. 5th. We approve this suggestion and forward
this minute to the Monthly Meeting for its consideration.
Gertrude H. Lawrence Clerk for the day.

Sept. 1948
Called Mtg.

At a called Meeting of Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held 9th mo 5th 1948. 7 members present.

The resignation of Everett W. Chapman as pastor of the Lynn Meeting to take effect 10th mo. 4th 1948, was presented at this meeting.

It is with deep regret that we recommend to the Monthly Meeting that this resignation be accepted.

W. Barton Jones
Clerk.

Sept. 1948

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held 9^{mo}. 14. 1948.
12 Members present.

Following a devotional period the records the meetings held 6^{mo}. 2nd. and the called meetings held 7^{mo}. 1. and 9th mo 5. were read and approved.

Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting held in Lynn 8^{mo}. 21 attended with one exception.

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C. M. T.

We appoint Grace F. Atkins, Millard T. Lawrence and Everett F. Chase a Committee to act with a similar Committee from the Monthly Meeting to Nominate Elders for three years.

We approve of holding the Wednesday evening Meetings at different homes beginning the first Wednesday in October at John H. Mader, with Wm. D. Dennis as leader.

The Sunday School problem has claimed our consideration but no definite action taken.

A reception to Everett and Marie Chapman is being arranged for Sat. day Oct 3 at 3.30 to 4.30 o'clock.

We approve of W. Carlton Jones having the Sunday morning service during the 10th mo. except on the 3^d when Everett Chapman will be there for his last meeting as pastor.

Everett Chapman gave some account of his visit to the Barrett Farm, in Littleton, reporting a very splendid work being done there. There being no further business, we conclude,
W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

Oct. 1948 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and counsel held 10 mo 5-1948
9 members present.

After a season of elevation the records
of the last Meeting were read and
approved.

The Queries have been read and
considered at this time and we
appoint John N. Mader, Gertrude H. Lawrence
and George D. Bliss our representatives
to the Quarterly Meeting to be held
at Lawrence 10 mo 16. 1948.

A concern has been expressed that
we be more reverent before the
Meeting on First Day Morning

A proposition has been made
that W. Burlington Jones assume the
Spiritual Leadership of the Meeting
until June 1st, 1949. with the hope
that each member will realize
his responsibility and take such part
as the Spirit may lead.

We unite with this proposition
subject to the approval by the
Monthly Meeting

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We hope to arrange for a visitation of the Membership. such visitation to be made by two going together. a list of members is to be presented at the next Meeting.

No further business coming before us we conclude.

St. Carlton Jones
clerk.

Nov. 1948. Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held 11 mo. 2. 1948.
7 members present.

After a devotional period the records of the last meeting were read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting all attended.

The Membership list has been considered and letters will be written and calls made in an effort to ascertain how some of our members regard their membership with us.

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On Wednesday, Nov. 14, a very interesting Missionary Meeting was held at the home of Clayton and Ethel Spinney in Marblehead, and Sunday Nov. 21, we were favored by having Edna Howland and Miss Alger from the Cambridge Meeting, in attendance.

No other business appearing,
we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones, Secy.

Dec. 1948

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held at 14 Berkshire St Swampscott. 12 mo. 14th. 1948.

9 members present.

Owing to sickness and other circumstances the regular Meeting was not held on the 7th.

The records of the last Meeting were read and approved.

After due consideration we unite in recommending to the Monthly

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Meeting that the names of E. Frederick Foster, Florence Curry, George Foster and Winford Foster, be dropped from our list of Associate Members. also that letters be sent to Hazel Stressinger, Patricia Foster, Andrew Foster, Elviri Morilli, Amos Morse, Richard Holmes, Telford Jones, Robert Hazeltine, Leona Lenhurst and Bertine Brownell, with the purpose of ascertaining their desire as to retaining membership in the Syn Meeting, as they have not been in attendance for a long time or in any way connected with the Meetings activities.

We approve of recommending that the Monthly Meeting in 1st month be held on the third Fourth day in conjunction with the Annual Meeting of Syn Preparative Meeting. in order that a special speaker may be secured for the 2nd Fourth day evening. in charge of the Missionary Society.

There being no further business we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

Dec. 1948
CALLED MTG.

At a called Meeting of Lynn Local
Meeting on Ministry and ~~General~~ Council
held 12mo. 26-1948.

As no response has been received from
the letters sent out we recommend ^{to the Mo. mtg}
that the following names be dropped
from our Membership lists:

Andrew Foster from the Associate List.
From the Active List:—

Patricia Foster, Hazel Stressinger,
Eiviri Morilli, Amos Morse, Richard
Holmes, Telford Jones, Leona Dewhurst
Bertrude Brownell and Robert Hagelton.

W. Carlton Jones
secret.

JAN. 1944

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Counsel held 1st mo. 4. 1944. at
14 Berkshire St. Swampscott.
10 members present.

A season of devotion was observed.

The time for which the Clerk was
appointed having expired we unite
in the reappointment of W. Earlton Jones
as clerk for the coming year.

Records of the last Meeting were read
and approved.

On 12mo 5th James Leoney was very accept-
ably in attendance at our Meeting and
on 12mo 19 special Christmas Hymns
were used and at the close of the Meeting
the children were presented with gifts.
The decorations put up by Russell Musgrave
were very attractive.

The Queries have been read at this time
and we appoint George Bliss, Gertrude
H. Lawrence and Sarah M. Hazeltine as
our Representatives to the Quarterly
Meeting on Ministry and Counsel to be
held in Cambridge the 15th inst.

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The Missionary Society will have charge of the Meeting on 4th day night, 1st mo 12 at which time Walter Pearson of Stoneham will show pictures and tell of the work done in Austria by the G. F. S. C.

A meeting will be held in the Meeting House 4th day night, 1st mo 26.

We unite in having James and Rebecca Wild at our Morning Meeting 2nd mo 6th. and Harry L. Smith on 3rd mo 13.

An open house is being planned for 2nd mo 13th at the parsonage, 14 Bush's St. Swampscott.

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Herman J. Lawrence and W. Carlton Jones are appointed a Committee to present to this Meeting a report on the Spiritual Condition of the Meeting.

(This minute should be as of 3rd mo. 6th 1949)

✱ There being no further business we conclude to meet at the Parsonage at the usual time in 2nd mo.

W. Carlton Jones.
clerk.

2nd mo 1949

Lynn Local Meeting on Minutes
and Council held at ~~the meeting house~~
~~Swampscott~~. 3 no 6th 1949.

8 Members present.

The devotional period was followed by
reading the minutes of the last
Meeting which was held 1st mo. 4th 1949.
These were approved.

Because of existing circumstances
no meeting was held in the 2nd month.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting,
all attended.

The Meeting on 1st mo. 12th. at which Walter
Pearson showed pictures of the work
done in Austria by the A.F.S.C. was
fairly well attended and very
interesting.

On 1st day 1st mo. 23, Lena Sellon was in
attendance at our Meeting and spoke of
her work in China. She was well received.

The services of James and Rebecca Wild
at our Meeting 2mo 6th were very
helpful.

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The Open House at the Parsonage June. 13th was an occasion long to be remembered by those present. as it also observed the 75th birthday of W. Carlton Jones, which was on the 7th. About fifty were present.

No further business appearing we conclude to meet at the Meeting House in 4th Mo.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

4th Mo.
1949

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held at the Meeting House 4th mo 5th 1949.
9 members present.

Following a time of devotion the records of the last Meeting were read and approved.

1st day 3^{mo} 13th Harry L. Smith was in attendance and spoke very interestingly of his experiences as a leprologist stationed for some time in Northern Ireland and also in France during the last war. and the message he brought was indeed helpful.

4th mo
1949
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A report of the Spiritual Condition of Lynn Meeting has been presented at this time. We unite with this report and forward it to the Monthly Meeting.

The evening of 3^{mo} 31st Florence Aldrich showed pictures of her trip thru the North Western States and Canada.

These were very interesting and much enjoyed by the goodly number present. On 4th mo 1st the Social Committee sponsored a Yankee Swap Party. This too was a very enjoyable occasion.

We have considered at this time the advisability of having W. Carlton Jones act as ~~our~~^{the} Spiritual leader in our Meeting after 6^{mo} 1st 1949 and recommend that the present arrangement be continued until 9^{mo} 1st 1949.

A request has been received from the Plover Meeting that we sponsor a Meeting there the third First Day in July. We unite in doing this.

The Radio Committee of the Lynn Council of Churches suggests that we sponsor one or more programs over Station W.L.Y.N. at a cost of 11⁰⁰ each. We recommend this be done. This being no further business we conclude. W. Carlton Jones Clerk.

5mo 1944

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Counsel held at the Meeting
House 5mo 3rd 1944.

8 Members present.

The devotional period was followed
by reading the minutes of the last
Meeting. These were approved.

The Inquiries have been read and
considered at this time and we
appoint W. Carlton Jones, John N. Mader
and Annie S. Derrier our Representatives
to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry
and Counsel to be held in Amesbury
5th mo 21st-1944.

A request from the Boston Home of Truth
to hold Meetings in our Meeting House
each Thursday evening, has been
received.

We do not feel it would be wise to
grant this request.

There being no further business we
conclude to meet the first 4th day
in sixth month.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

6th mo. 1949 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Council held June 1, 1949.
7 members present.

Following a devotional period the minutes
of the last meeting were read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
all attended.

We approve of omitting the Meetings on
Ministry and Council during July and August
unless called by the Clerk.

We unite in having James Wild at our
Morning Meeting June 14.

We recommend to the Monthly Meeting that
a number of cards be printed for
distribution to Hotels, Y.M.C.C. etc.

We recommend that the Meeting on
Wednesday nights be omitted except
the second ones during July and August
those being the regular Monthly Meetings.

We unite in appointing Lucille Barthell
Flora E. Lord, Marjorie C. Chao and Helen
Bliss a committee to arrange for the
observance of Children's Day June 12 and

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the expense incurred be paid from the Bible School Fund held in reserve.

No further business appearing we conclude to meet at the call of the Clerk.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

8th Mo 1944

At a called Meeting of Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held 8mo 3, 1944.

9 Members present.

In the absence of the clerk because of illness Gertrude H. Lawrence served as clerk for the day.

The Concern was presented that the Meeting pay W. Carlton Jones a sum of money for services rendered to the Meeting during the past year as acting pastor.

After consideration and discussion the Meeting is united in recommending to the Overseers that \$300⁰⁰ be paid to W. Carlton Jones from the Goldsmith Fund as additional recompense for his services during the past year.

Aug 1949
CONT.

Bertrude H. Lawrence and Annie S. Dermer are asked to invite Friends from Cambridge and Lawrence to attend our Meeting for Worship during August, as way may open for them, and to ask any other visiting Friends who may be in this vicinity to worship with us.

Representatives appointed to attend Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel to be held in Lynn Aug. 20, 1949, are Annie S. Dermer, Bertrude H. Lawrence and Corinne C. Foster.

The Meeting concluded to meet the first Tuesday in September.

Bertrude H. Lawrence
Clerk for the day.

Qmo. 1944

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Council held at the Parsonage Qmo 6-1944.
7 Members present.

Minutes of the Meetings held 6mo 1 and
Qmo 3, 1944 read and approved.

Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting in
Lynn all attended.

We are informed that Chester and Bertie
Smith will be in attendance at our
Meeting next Sunday Sept. 11. and that
Bertie wishes to meet the parents of the
children at the close of the meeting in
regard to reopening the Bible School.

We unite in recommending to the
Monthly Meeting that W. Carlton Jones
act as our minister for the year ending
Qmo 1, 1950, paying him \$6.00 per week
besides the use of the Parsonage.

Alfred Lee from the Lawrence Meeting
will be in attendance at our Meeting Qmo 18.

There being no further business
we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

10mo/1949

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Council held 10mo. 4. 1949.

9 members present.

Following a devotional period the minutes of
the last meeting were read and approved.

Chester and Gertrude Smith were very acceptably
in attendance at our Morning Meeting Jan. 11. 1949
and on the 18th. Alfred Lee from Lawrence
meeting brought a very helpful message.
Partly as a result of Gertrude Smith's talk
with the members after meeting the Bible
School has reopened with a very favorable
outlook.

The Inquiries have been read and considered
at this time and we appoint George J. Bliss
Annie S. Dernier and W. Carlton Jones our
Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting on
Ministry and Council to be held in Ware N.H.
on the 15th inst.

We appoint Carinne C. Foster and Grace
P. Atkins a Committee to act with a
similar Committee from the Monthly Meeting
to nominate Elders for three years.

No further business coming before us we
conclude-

W. Carlton Jones. Clerk.

11mo. 1949 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
 Counsel held 11mo. 7. 1949
 6 members present.

Following a season of devotion the
 minutes of the last Meeting were
 read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly
 Meeting in Weare N.H. all attended,

Under the leadership of Greta L. Rose,
 who is not a member of our Meeting,
 the Bible School is going forward
 with increasing interest and attendance.

The Missionary Meeting held at the
 Meeting House on 10mo 26th was very
 interesting and well attended.

No further business appearing we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones, Secy.

12mo 1949 The regular Meeting of Lynn Local Meeting
 on Ministry and Counsel was not held
 on 12mo 7th owing to the small number present.

W. Carlton Jones
 Secy.

1st mo 1950 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
 Counsel held at the Meeting House - mo. 4 - 1950
 8 members present.

A season of devotion was observed.

Owing to the small number present
 12 mo. 7, 1949, no meeting was held.

The minutes of the Meeting of 11 mo 7, 1949
 were read and approved.

The time for which the clerk was appointed
 expires at this time. We unite in
 postponing the appointment of a clerk
 until the next Meeting.

A Christmas party for the Children of the
 Bible School was held on the 21st of 12 mo.
 and was much enjoyed by them.

Christmas Day which was Sunday the
 25th. the Bible School United with the
 morning Meeting at 11 o'clock. in a very
 helpful service - the Children taking
 their parts splendidly.

The changing of our time for Meeting
 for Worship is proving very satisfactory
 also our Meeting in the Basement during
 the Winter Months.

1st Mo 1850
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The Missionary Society Meeting on the 28th of 12 mo. was very interesting. At this time Sunshine Bags were made to send to members of the Meeting. Japan is to be the subject for consideration the coming year.

The Queries were read at this Meeting and we appoint W. Carlton Jones, Sarah M. Hazeltine and Annie S. Derricks our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held in Cambridge on the 21st inst.

We recommend to the Monthly Meeting that the following schedule for 4th day evenings be used.

The first Fourth day.	Ministry and Council Meeting.
Second	Regular Monthly Meeting.
Third	Open Meeting - In June mo. -
	Annual Meeting of Cooperatives Mtg.
Fourth	Missionary Meeting.

We unite in asking James Coney to be at our First Day Meeting in the near future.

There being no further business we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

2nd 1950

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held 2nd 1. 1950 at the Meeting House.
7 members present.

The devotions were led by the Clerk.

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

We unite in the reappointment of W. Carlton Jones as Clerk for the ensuing year.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting attended with one exception.

Grace Le Gro is serving as Secretary and Treasurer of the Bible School.

A Home Department and Cradle Roll is being formed.

James Leoney is expected at our Meeting on the 12th, also there will be "Open House" at the Parsonage that afternoon.

W. Carlton Jones and Annie S. Derrier are appointed a Committee to report on the Spiritual Condition of our Meeting.

No further business appearing we conclude
W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

3mo. 1950

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held 3mo. 1-1950.
6 members present.

Following the devotional period the
minutes of the last Meeting were
read and approved.

James Leoney was very acceptably in
attendance at our Meeting for Worship
2mo. 12th.

The Open House at the Parsonage on
the afternoon of the 12th was a very
pleasant occasion. About fifty were
there.

The evening of the 21st was spent with
John N. Mader at his home in Sanguis.
As the 22nd was his 75th birthday this
gathering was in celebration of that
event. It was a very pleasant time.

On 2mo 26th James Wild was at the
morning Meeting. His message was
well received and helpful.

The Committee to report on the Spiritual
Condition of our Meeting is not prepared
to report at this time.

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We recommend to the Monthly Meeting that when outside speakers come to our Meeting by invitation, that our Treasurer be instructed to pay them Ten dollars.

It was suggested that different ones announce the Hymns, give the Notices and receive the offering at the Morning Meeting. Also that a get-together Meeting be arranged in 4th month. We unite with these suggestions.

The Ladies Aid and Flower Committee will hold a food Sale in Rogers Basement on 3mo-24.

There being no further business we Conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

4mo 1950

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Council held 4mo 5, 1950
12 members present.

The Devotional period was led by
Mabel Smith.

Minutes of the last Meeting were
read and approved.

The Committee to report on the
Spiritual Condition of Lynn Meeting
has presented its report.

We unite with this report, and
forward it to the Monthly Meeting for
its consideration and action.

The Ford Sale was very successful
\$35⁰⁰ being realized.

There was a very helpful discussion as
to the needs of our particular Meeting.

W. Carlton Jones has requested that someone
be named as clerk of this body. Grace P. Patton
Marjorie B. Chase and John H. Mader are
appointed a Committee to present a nomination at our
next Meeting.

No further business appearing we
conclude. W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

5mo, 1950

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Council held at Lynn Meeting House 5mo 3, 1950.
Ten members present.

Following a period of devotion, the minutes
of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Committee appointed to present at this
meeting a nomination for clerk, not being
prepared to report, Gertrude H. Lawrence is
appointed for the evening.

The Minutes have been read and considered.
We appoint Flora E. Rod, W. Earlby Jones and
Annie S. Service our representatives to the
Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Council to be
held in Amesbury 5mo 20, 1950.

A request for membership in the Lynn
Meeting has been received from Martha
E. Ryder. We appoint John H. Mader and
Annie S. Service, a Committee to confer
with her and report to our next Meeting.

A letter regarding the Japan International
Christian University has been read.
We are united in recommending that an
offering be taken at a suitable time
for this purpose.

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A letter from the President of the Lynn Council of Churches has been read, relative to the proposed Union Hospital Building Fund. This Meeting will cooperate in bringing information regarding the hospital needs before our members.

The concern has been presented that W. Carlton Jones be recorded as a minister in the Society of Friends. Believing that W. Carlton Jones by spoken word and everyday living has demonstrated over a period of many years a clear calling for the Ministry of God, and in grateful recognition of his unselfish service and spiritual help to the Lynn Meeting, this meeting on Ministry and Council recommends that he be recorded as a minister according to Friends' custom.

No further business appearing, we adjourn.

(Signed) Gertrude K. Lawrence
Clerk for the day

Called Meeting
5 mo. 10. 1455

at a called Meeting of Lynn Local Meeting
on Ministry held at the Meeting House 5 mo. 10. 1455
Ten members present.

The minute forwarded to the Monthly
Meeting on 5th mo 3^d. recommending
that W. Leighton Jones be recorded as a
minister in the Society of Friends is
returned to us with the approval of
the Monthly Meeting.

According to the new Discipline, this
Meeting therefore forwards the original
minute, with the written minute from
the Monthly Meeting, to the Quarterly Meeting
on Ministry and Counsel for its approval
according to Friends' custom.

With no further business appearing, we
adjourn to meet at the appointed time
6 mo. 7.

(Signed) Gertrude H. Lawrence
Clerk for the day.

6 mo 1950

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Counsel held 6 mo. 7-1950.
9 members present.

Following a devotional period, the
records of the last meeting were read
and approved. also ^{that} of a called meeting
5 mo. 10.

The Nominating Committee is continued.

The Committee to interview Martha E. Ryder
regarding her request for Membership in
Lynn Meeting report favorably and we
write in recommending to the Monthly
Meeting that this request be granted.

Our representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
attended with one exception.

We approve of omitting the meetings of this
group during July and August, unless
called by the clerk.

We appoint L. Mabel Smith Caroline Foster
Flora E. Lord and Sarah M. Hazeltine our
representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
to be held at Lynn Aug. 19.

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We unite in having Delta Deafam
take charge of the Meeting for Worship
Sunday Morning June 25, 1950.

We approve of having Phillip and Susie
Fraser of Oklahond - Indians - at ~~our~~
a Special Meeting on Tuesday June 27.

We approve of having the Meeting
House open from one to four o'clock
in the afternoon during the
Centennial Celebration of the City of
Lynn June 12 - 17 - 1950.

There being no further business we
conclude to meet at the call
of the Clerk.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

June 14th 1950 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held June 14th 1950 at the Meeting House.
6 Members present.

After a devotional period the minutes of the
last Meeting held June 9. 1950 were read
and approved.

The Meeting with Phillip and Lucile Frazer
was a very helpful and inspiring occasion.

The Committee to Nominate a Clerk is continued.

James and Rebecca Wild were very acceptably
in attendance at our Meeting on Aug 6. and on
Aug 13. Terry Van Dyke brought a very helpful
message.

Plans are being made for Rally Day Sept. 17.

We approve of holding our Wednesday evening
Meetings as we have been doing.

We also approve of having W. Carlton Jones
as our Minister for another year, subject
to the approval of the Monthly Meeting.

We are looking forward to having R. Ernest ~~Rob~~
with us on Sept. 13. at Monthly Meeting.

We recommend inviting the Lynn Council of Churches
to meet in our Meeting House for their November Meeting.
Concluded to meet the first Wednesday. W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

10 mo. 1950

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held 10 mo 4, 1950 at 14 Berkshire
St Swampscott.

Six members present.

Following the devotional period the
records of the last Meeting were read
and approved.

The visit of R. Ernest Lamb on 9th mo 13th
at our Monthly Meeting was very helpful.
Following a supper served at 6 o'clock
he spoke to us before the Monthly
Meeting. A goodly number were present.

Plans for Rally Day were well carried
out and helpful.

The Queries have been read and considered
at this Meeting and we appoint
John N. Mader and Sarah M. Hazeltine
our Representatives to the Quarterly
Meeting to be held at Lawrence 10 mo 31, 1950.
We appoint John N. Mader and Millard
T. Lawrence to act with a similar
Committee from the Monthly Meeting to
nominate Elders for three years.

As W. Carlton Jones, Grace P. Atkins and
Arnie S. Dierker are planning to attend

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the Five Years Meeting, in Richmond, Indiana. We approve of having Harry L. Smith at our Meeting on Sunday Oct. 22, and Franklin Pinedo on the 29th.

We unite in having George Sellick show his pictures, taken in Finland at a date to be arranged, in November. We also plan to have a Missionary Meeting once a month and observe Bible Sunday on Dec. 10.

It seems advisable to meet at the homes for our Meetings on Ministry and Counsel during the winter months.

There being no further business, we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

Nov. 1958

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Counsel held at 12 Portland St Lynn.

Nov-1-1958.

11 members present.

A devotional season was followed by
reading the minutes of the last Meeting.
These were approved.

Neither of our Representatives to the Quarterly
Meeting in Lawrence, were able to attend.

Harry L. Smith gave a very helpful
message at the meeting for worship on
Sunday Oct 22. On Oct. 24 Franklin
Pineo brought with him J. Chesson,
a native of Liberia, who is a Represen-
tative to the United Nations from that
Country. Their services in the Meeting
were also very helpful.

We approve of observing Sunday Nov. 12 as
Layman's Missionary Movement Sunday,
and of having George Sellick show his
pictures, taken in Finland and Lapland,
on Wednesday night Nov. 15. and inviting
the public, especially the members of the
Finnish Church in Peabody.

We will unite in the Union Service on

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Thanksgiving Day eve, Nov. 22, at the
St. Stephens Church.

A report of the Five years Meeting will
be given at the Meeting house Wednesday eve,
Nov. 29.

We approve of observing Bible Sunday
Dec. 10.

With no further business appearing we
conclude to meet at the home of Everett
Chase, 43 Cherry St. Lynn, on
Wednesday evening Dec. 6, 1950.

W. Leighton Jones
Clerk.

12 Mo. 1950

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at 43 Cherry Street. Lynn
12 mo 6. 1950.

10 members present.

After a devotional period the minutes of
the last Meeting were read and approved.

The showing of the Finland Pictures by George
Sellick was a very pleasant occasion.
About fifty people coming from Peabody.

Over one hundred were served supper
at the Council of Churches Meeting in our
Meeting house on the evening of Nov. 20. 1950.

A partial report of the Five Years Meeting was
given by Isaac Atkins and Annie Sellick
on Wednesday evening Nov. 29. A Missionary ^{Meeting}
was held, following these reports.

George Bliss presented a concern regarding a
Peace Program in our Meeting. This was
at the request of the Peace Committee of
the Yearly Meeting. As a united Society,
we must have a Front regarding War.
We unite in having George Bliss take a
census of our Meeting in order to ascertain
the standing of our members on the
Peace Testimony.

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CONT.

Plans are being made for a Christmas Party for the children of our Bible School, on Wednesday evening Dec. 20, and also a program to be presented by them at the Morning Meeting on Dec. 24.

John W. Wader and Grace P. Atkins are asked to present at our next meeting a nomination for Clerk of this Meeting.

There being no further business, we conclude to meet with Carinne Foster, 40 Bloomfield St. Lynn, Wednesday evening Jan. 3, 1951.

W. Leighton Jones
Clerk.

Jan. 3, 1951

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Council held at 46 Bloomfield Street, Lynn home of Corinne L. Foster, Jan 3, 1951.

9 members present.

The devotional season was led by Gertrude H. Lawrence after which the records of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Committee to present a nomination for Clerk is not prepared to report.

The Christmas program presented by the members of the Bible School was splendidly carried out and much credit should be given to those who had charge of the arrangements as well as to those who participated in them.

The Queries have been read at this Meeting and Considered. We appoint W. Carlton Jones, Annie S. Dernier and L. Mahel Smith, our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held in Cambridge Jan 20, 1951.

The giving to the March of Dimes was considered and we recommend that a special offering be taken on Sunday Jan. 14, for that purpose.

1mo 1951
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After discussing plans for meetings in the next three months the meeting concluded, to meet with Flora E. Lord, 11 Lee Ct. on Wednesday Feb. 7, 1951.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

2mo 1951

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held at the home of Grace P. Atkins 25 Glenwood St. Lynn. 2mo 7, 1951
7 members present.

Due to unforeseen circumstances it was not advisable for us to meet with Flora Lord as planned.

After a time of quiet devotions, the records of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Nominating Committee presented the name of W. Carlton Jones, as Clerk for the coming year. This is united with.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting attended with one exception.

W. Carlton Jones and George Bliss are appointed to bring a report on the spiritual condition of our meeting.

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A Brotherhood Meeting to be held in the Meeting House on Feb. 26 was considered and no action taken. W. Earlton Jones will get further details.

No Meeting planned for Feb. 21.

A concern is felt regarding the continued absence of Herman and Gertrude Lawrence from our Meeting for Worship and the Bible School. We unite in sending a letter to them expressing this concern.

No further business appearing we conclude to meet at the Parsonage 3mo. 7. 1951.

W. Earlton Jones
Clerk.

3mo 14/51 *Logan Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel and the Finance Committee held
at 43 Cherry Street 3mo 21. 1951.
11 members present.*

*Owing to the storm and sickness no
meeting was held at the Parsonage
3mo 7.*

*Annie S. Dornier led in the devotions;
after which the records of the last
meeting were read and approved.*

*A Brotherhood Meeting was held in the
Meeting House on June 26 with about
75 being present.*

*Conditions existing among the Indians,
Negros and Chinese in America and
the work being done to better these conditions
were brought by different speakers.*

It seemed a worthwhile Meeting.

*A report of the Spiritual Condition of our
Meeting was presented and with minor
changes was united with to be forwarded
to the Monthly Meeting.*

*No response to the letter sent to Herman
and Gertrude Lawrence having been
received Margorie B. Chase and Corinne & Foster*

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will try to see them before our next Meeting.

A concern regarding the Meeting for worship and the possibility of some Friends now living along the North Shore attending our Meeting was considered at some length and beginning April, we will endeavor to conduct our Meeting for worship as unprogrammed and emphasizing the quiet aspect and the responsibility of each one for worshipping in Spirit and in Truth.

Concluded to meet at 43 Cherry St.
in Lynn, - 4mo 4th, 1951.

St. Carlton Jones
Clerk

June 1951

Regular Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at 43 Cherry Street, Lynn
June 4, 1951.

8 Members present.

A devotional period was followed by
reading the records of the last meeting,
which were approved.

Norman and Gertrude Lawrence have been
visited.

On Easter Sunday June 25, the sun
was shining most of the day and
there was a good attendance at the
Meeting for Worship in which several
members from the Bible School had
a part.

We approve of sending the report of the
Spiritual Condition of our Meeting to
the membership, subject to the approval
of the Monthly Meeting.

A letter from Russell Brooks regarding
having Gilbert Kilpack visiting our
Meeting was considered and it did not
seem advisable to have this Friend
at this time.

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a problem concerning the Bible School has claimed our consideration but nothing definite decided.

There being no further business we conclude to meet with Flora E. Lord, 11 Lee Court Lynn on June 2, 1951.

W. Carlton Jones.

June 1951

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held June 2nd 1951 at the home of Flora E. Lord, 11 Lee Court. 9 members present.

After reading the Queries and considering them the records of the last meeting were read and approved.

On April 18th following the Annual Meeting of the Missionary Society, Gilbert Wilpack from Orendell Hill gave us a very helpful talk about that place and the work being done there. This was followed by refreshments served by the ladies. About 20 were present.

We appoint W. Carlton Jones, Annie S. Derrier, Sarah M. Hazeltine and George I. Bliss our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held in Amesbury the 19th. Plans for cleaning the kitchen and small room and having the Meeting House open during the summer months, were considered.

The janitor problem has been considered and the Trustees will give the matter attention.

W. Carlton Jones was granted a vacation for July.

We conclude to meet with the Ephesians at 43 Cherry St.

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W. Carlton Jones Clerk.

6th May 1951. Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held at the home of Everett and Marjorie Chase - 43 Cherry St. 6mo 6. 1951.
9 members present.

After a devotional period the records of the last Meeting were read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting in Amesbury attended with one exception, whom sickness prevented.

On Wednesday, May 16, a Peace Meeting was held in the Meeting House with Russell Johnson of the A. F. B. C. Peace Committee as speaker. This was attended by about 25 - mostly those, other than our own Members. It was a very profitable time and another meeting was called for the following Wednesday, Sunday May 20. Walter MacFarlane of the "Gideons" attended the Morning Meeting and spoke very interestingly of the work being done in the distribution of Bibles.

Wednesday, May 23, Russell Brooks met with a few of us. His visit was very helpful.

June 5, a Peace Meeting was held when Winifred Barrett reviewed the pamphlet

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Court.

"Steps to Peace", put out by the A. F. S. C. over fifty were present and seemed much interested. Peace Literature was taken by many of those present.

We approve of omitting the meetings of Ministry and Counsel during July and August.

Betty Smith attended our Meeting very acceptably when we observed Childrens Day. June 10. The children of the Sunday School added much to the service, by the part they took.

Plans for a Picnic at Olafston N.D. on June 16 are being made, also for our attending the Meeting at Pembroke on June 17.

We appoint Annie S. Dernier, Marjorie B. Chase, Sarah M. Hazeltine, Gertrude C. Foster and W. Carlton Jones, our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held in Lynn Aug. 21, 1951.

There being no further business, we conclude to meet at the call of the Clerk if necessary, before the regular Meeting in September.

W. Carlton Jones.
Clerk.

9mo 1951

Sym Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at the Meetinghouse
9th mo 5. 1951.

9 members present.

After a devotional period the records
of the last meeting held 6mo 6. 1951
were read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
held in Sym. all attended.

Because of rain the picnic planned at
Plaistow N. H. was not held. and the lack
of transportation prevented our attending the
Meeting at Pembroke.

The Meetinghouse has been open Wednesdays
from 12 o'clock till 2, and from 10 to 3 on Mondays
during August. There have been several
visitors, some from other places than Sym.

Plans are being made to reopen the
Bible School on Sept. 23 and observe
Rally Day on Sept. 30.

E. Stanley Jones will be in Sym from
Nov. 11 to 17, and a visitation program
to be carried out the week before is
being prepared. Let us be ready!

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At this point George I. Bliss acted as clerk pro tem and the following minute made. The meeting has discussed the position of pastor of the meeting. It is felt advisable to look forward to the future leadership of our group. A survey Committee Consisting of George I. Bliss, W. Carlton Jones and Herman J. Lawrence has been appointed to study the possibility of a full time pastor and possible persons to consider. This Committee will function in the capacity of securing guest speakers on occasion.

Carlton Jones has been asked to continue his leadership of the Meeting for twelve months on the same basis as in the previous appointment.

An expression of appreciation for his ministry has been made.

It was agreed that the Meeting shall send W. Carlton Jones to the Workers Conference inoughkeepsie. N. Y. Sept. 10, 11, 12.

A program for Meetings during the coming months was considered, after which the meeting concluded.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

10mo 7. 1951 At a called Meeting of Ministry and
 A CALLED MTG. Counsel held at the Meetinghouse 10mo 7. 1951
 9 members present.

We appoint Florence B. Aldrich, W. Carlton Jones and Sarah M. Hazelton our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held in Weare N. H. Oct 20, 1951.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

11mo 7. 1951 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
 Counsel held 11mo 7. 1951.
 5 members present.

After a season of devotion the minutes of the meeting held Sept. 5, were read and approved.

The Bible School was reopened with Rally Day exercises on Sept. 30. There was a good attendance.

On August 28 a very pleasant time was had at Edge Hill Inn, when plans were made for carrying on the Bible School more efficiently.

We desire at this time to note the passing on, of Anna Darnie, Alice W. Hawkes, Ada Bailey and Gilbert Graffam, the last, tho not a member,

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frequently attended our meeting, also of Alfred Osborne, of Ware, N. H. who was a valued friend of the Lynn Meeting.

The cake sale on Sept. 15th. and the supper and meeting on Sept. 19th, sponsored by the Missionary Society were very successful.

Five from the Lynn Meeting attended the 100th anniversary exercises at Amesbury on Sunday afternoon Sept. 30. It was a memorable occasion.

On Oct. 19th. one of our oldest members, Emma Ellis, passed away at the age of 92 years. One by one the older ones are being gathered home. May God give us Wisdom, Strength and Courage, to carry on.

We appoint Grace P. Atkins and Florence B. Aldrich a Committee to act with a similar Committee from the Monthly Meeting, to nominate Elders for three years.

We are participating in the E. Stanley Jones meetings which begin with visitation week starting Nov. 4th. He will be here from the 11th to the 17th.

11th mo 1951 We approve of holding our meetings for
 Co-HT. worship on Sundays, down stairs in the
 meeting house, during the winter.

W. Carlton Jones, attended the meeting at
 Concord, N.H. on Sunday, Oct. 28 and
 Alfred Lee from the Lawrence Meeting was at
 our meeting on that date, and gave a very
 helpful message.

On Oct. 24, a meeting sponsored by the
 Missionary Society, followed by an auction,
 for the benefit of the Apostoloff family of fine
 D. F., was held. It was a pleasant and profitable
 time.

Kerry and Edith Perry will show the pictures
 taken by them in Japan, at the Meeting House,
 the evening of Nov. 26, 1951.

There being no further business we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
 Clerk.

12 mo 1951

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Counsel held 12 mo 6. 1951 at the home
of Florence B. Aldrich 12 Portland St. Lynn.
11 members present.

The devotions were led by the Clerk.

Records of the last Meeting read and approved.

The E. Stanley Jones Meetings were very helpful
and 800 was about the average attendance.

The Japan pictures shown by Henry Perry were
lovely and his talk concerning them made a
very interesting evening.

Refreshments were served by the Missionary
Society.

Dec. 2. Robert Lyon and his wife were at our
Meeting for worship. Before the Worship service,
Robert, who is Secretary of F. O. R. in this
section, told us something about that

Organization and what it is doing.

Louise White from the Providence Meeting,
was also very acceptably in attendance.

Efforts will be made to have guest speakers
at two of our Sunday Morning Meetings
each month.

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Plans are being made for a Christmas party on Wednesday Dec. 19. and special exercises for the following Sunday.

As Florence B. Aldrich does not wish to serve on the Committee to nominate Elders, we appoint Marjorie B. Chase in her place.

No further business coming before us we conclude ✓

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

1st mo 1952

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at 14 Berkshire Street, Swampscott
1st mo 2nd 1952.

6 members present.

The Clerk led in the devotions.

Records of the last meeting were read and
approved.

The appointment of a clerk for this Meeting
was referred to our next meeting.

The Queries were read and considered at
this time and we appoint W. Carlton Jones,
Annie S. Derriner and Flora E. Ford, our
Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be
held in Cambridge on the 19th inst.

On Dec. 16 and 23 Larry Moore attended our
Meeting for Worship and on Dec. 30,
James Wild was present. We are very
glad to have these visitors with us and
bring such helpful messages.

Robert Lyon will be with us again
on Jan. 13th.

Our group is to have charge of the service at the
Lynn Home for Aged Women on Sunday Jan. 13.
Much concern was expressed regarding the Bible
School and the future of our Meeting.

There being no further business we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

20th 1952 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at 13 Portland Street, Lynn
2nd mo 6th 1952.

9 Members present.

After a season of devotion led by the
Clerk the minutes of the last meeting
were read and approved.

We unite in the reappointment of
W. Carlton Jones, as Clerk for the coming year.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
all attended.

On Jan. 13 Robert Lyon and his wife
were at our Meeting for Worship and their
services were very acceptable.

In the afternoon, a group from our Meeting
conducted the service at the Lynn Home
for Aged Women: It was a very pleasant
occasion.

On Feb. 3rd Laurence Moore and his wife
were with us and added much to our
Meeting in which several young people
took part in observance of Young Peoples
Sunday.

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The spiritual condition of our meeting and what we can do to make our gatherings more helpful, were given much consideration after which we concluded to meet at the same place on March 5th.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

3rd Mo. 1952

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held at 13 Portland St. Lynn. 3/5/52.
7 members present.

The devotions were led by William T. Lawrence.
Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

George Jones of Boston was very acceptably at our meeting on March 16th.

Beginning with March 2nd and each Sunday evening until April 6th we, with other churches are uniting in Union services at the First Methodist Church.

We appoint Annie S. Denier, Marjorie B. Chase and W. Carlton Jones, to present at our next meeting, a report on the spiritual condition of the Lynn Meeting.

We have received from the Gordon School in Beverly, a communication, offering the

3rd mo 1952 use of their facilities there for special
GNT. gatherings for groups, picnics, etc. and also
suggesting having some of their students as
guest speakers for our meeting. We appreciate
these suggestions and will so inform them.

A Questionnaire received from the Yearly
Meeting Clerk on Ministry and Counsel
regarding the Activities, our strong and weak
points and the duties of Lynn Local Meeting
on Ministry and Counsel, as we see them,
has received our serious Consideration.

A concern of the Permanent Board of the
Yearly Meeting has resulted in their
appointing Arthur Jones and Winslow Osborne
to confer with us regarding the Lynn Meeting.

There being no further business, we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

4mo 1952. Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at 13 Portland St. Lynn.

4mo - 2nd, 1952.

10 Members present.

We were led in the devotional period by
Caroline C. Foster.

The minutes of the last Meeting were read
and approved.

A report on the Spiritual Condition of Lynn
Meeting was read and approved. This will
be forwarded to the Monthly Meeting.

Larry Moore was at our meeting for Worship
on March 16th and brought a very helpful
message.

The Questionair from the yearly Meeting on
Ministry and Counsel has again claimed our
consideration! We have endeavored to answer
these questions as they apply to our Meeting,
and will send it to Daisy Newman, as requested.

We recommend that the Clerk of the Monthly
Meeting, - the members of the Board of
Overseers and additional members as
named by the Nominating Committee, be
included in our Meeting on Ministry and Counsel.

Apr. 1952 The Committee appointed to call on the
Co NT. Mcnegraves, report a very satisfactory visit.

Plans were made for the Easter service on the 13th.

The possibility of having Old Home Week observance the week of April 20th was considered but did not seem advisable at this time. However, Ethel B. Spinney, Millard V. Lawrence, Marjorie B. Chase and W. Carlton Jones, were appointed to arrange for a meeting on Thursday night April 24, with Milton R. Hadley as speaker.

Robert Lyon will be at the Meeting for worship on Sunday April 27.

We have felt a sense of the leading of the Spirit in this meeting which concluded about ten o'clock.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

6th Mo. 1952 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
 Counsel held at the Meetinghouse 5mo 7. 1952
 7 Members present.

Flora E. Lord had charge of the devotions.

The minutes of the last meeting were read
 and approved.

The queries have been read and considered.
 at this meeting. We appoint John N. Mader
 Annie S. Derrier and Flora E. Lord our
 representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to
 be held in Amesbury, Mass. on the 17th inst.

On April 20 Arthur Jones was at our Meeting
 for worship and on April 27 Robert L. Lyons
 and his wife were with us. We are very
 thankful for the help and inspiration which
 these Friends give us both by their presence
 and messages.

Thursday evening April 17th, following a
 supper. Arthur Jones and Winslow D. Osborne,
 who are under appointment by the Permanent
 Board of the Yearly Meeting. Considered
 with us the problems of Lynn Meeting
 and what might be done to improve
 the present conditions. They will meet with
 us again in the near future and may

5 mo 1952 have some definite suggestions to
CONT. make at that time.

The following Thursday, April 24th.
Milton H. Hadley and his wife, met
with us and told of their experiences
while in Washington D.C. during January
and February. Milton Hadley was there
doing what he could to prevent the
passage of the Universal Military Training
Bill. This Bill was defeated; perhaps he
may have had something to do with its defeat.

W. Carlton Jones was granted a vacation
during the month of July.

Suggestions were made regarding Childrens
Day. We feel the need of more visitations
in our meeting.

There being no further business we conclude
to meet at the regular time in June.

W Carlton Jones
Clerk.

6th mo. 1952. Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at 13 Portland St. Lynn. June 4th 1952.
14 members present.

The devotions were led by the Clerk.

Minutes of the last meeting read and
approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly meeting
held at Amesbury, all attended.

On May 14. Arthur Jones and Winslow L.
Osborne were in attendance at our Monthly
Meeting and brought us a very complete
presentation of our present obligations to the
yearly meeting so we know better what we can do.

The Monthly Meeting was adjourned for one
week, when we again considered the future
of our Meeting and seemingly nearly everyone
feels we should dispose of the meetinghouse
and find smaller quarters.

On May 25 Larry Moore was with us again
and spoke of the work he is to take up in
June among the Navajo Indians.

The evening of May 28th. Mildred Gwinger
showed pictures of India and told us
something of her work there during the past
five years.

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It does not seem advisable to consider further, having an open house, at present.

We approve of omitting our meetings on Ministry and Council during July and August, except at the call of the Clerk. and appoint Sarah M. Hightine, Annie C. Dennis and Clayton W. Spinney as our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held in Ligon, on Aug. 16th, 1952.

On June 8th and August 3 - Eugene Pichay was in attendance at our morning Meeting.

The Meeting concluded to meet at the call of the Clerk.

St. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

Aug 1952 At a called meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held in the meetinghouse Aug 6, 1952.
Eight members present.

The clerk led in the devotions.

Minutes of the last meeting held June 4th
read and approved.

On Thursday evenings since July 15, a
group has been meeting in the meetinghouse
for Bible study, by others than those of our
meeting. We approve of this body deciding
what meetings should be held in our
meetinghouse by others than our group.

A concern regarding our Sunday School
was considered and the possibility of
having a part time worker. This was
referred to the Religious Education Committee.

The Committee appointed last year to
consider a full time Pastor, is released and
the following are appointed for that purpose,
George D. Bliss, Clayton W. Spinney, Grace P. Atkins
and Margorie B. Chase.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

8th Mo. 1952. At a called Meeting of Ministry and Counsel held at the meetinghouse Aug. 27, 1952. Ten members present.

The Committee appointed to consider a full time Pastor introduced to this Meeting Wesley and Sylvia Osman. After conferring with them for a time, they decided to be at our meeting for worship on Sunday morning Sept. 14th.

We are informed that Harold E. Taylor has united with the Wesley Methodist Church of Springfield, Mass. therefore, it is with regret that we recommend that his name be dropped from our list of members.

H. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

9th Mo. 1952. Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held at the Meetinghouse Sept. 3, 1952. 6 members present.

The minutes of the called meetings of Aug. 6 and 27, were read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting all attended.

The Committee to consider the Ministry of Lynn Meeting is not prepared to report anything definite.

June 1952
CONT. 3rd The Clerk is directed, to write Amos R. Morse and also to contact Arthur Santmire and Eleanor Murphy regarding their membership.

W. Earlton Jones, Clerk.

June 26, 1952 At a called meeting of the Ministry and Counsel held at the Meetinghouse Sept. 16, 1952 11 members present.

After a time of devotion the meeting proceeded to consider the possibility of having Wesley and Sylvia Osman for part time service in our meeting. At this point, George J. Bliss presided as clerk for time and the following minutes made.

The meeting is united in inviting Wesley and Sylvia Osman to serve ~~as~~ the Lynn Meeting as Pastor to have charge of Sunday Services at the rate of \$15.00 per Sunday, until June 28, 1953.

W. Earlton Jones is invited to remain among us for the same period, to continue the weekday Pastoral duties, ^{in this meeting} and for this service W. Earlton Jones is to have the use of the Parsonage at 14 Berkshire Street, Swampscott, and receive \$6.00 per week.

It is the feeling of this group that we notify W. Earlton Jones that, after June 1953, we will not continue him as assistant Pastor of Lynn Meeting.

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It is recommended that the Monthly Meeting appoint a committee to investigate the possibilities of selling the Meetinghouse, investigate sites and get estimates on costs of building a smaller meetinghouse. This committee ^{should} report to the Monthly Meeting in February 1953.

George J. Bliss
Clerk Pro Tem.

June 1952

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Council. held at the Meetinghouse Oct. 1, 1952.
7 members present.

After a season of devotion led by the Clerk. the minutes of the last regular meeting and those of the called meeting held Sept. 16 were read and approved, with slight changes.

A letter from Amos C. Morse informs that his children have united with the Methodist Church in Middletown, Conn. and that is the only one he attends there. As he cannot attend the Lynn Meeting, he requests that his name be dropped from our list of members. We approve of granting this request.

10 mo 1952
CONT. Efforts are being made to contact Arthur Santurier and Eleanor Murphy regarding their membership.

We appoint as our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held at Lawrence on the 18th, John H. Mader, Annie S. Derrier and Florence B. Aldrich. The Minutes have been read and considered at this Meeting.

The Bible Study Group led by William Deschamps, has been meeting each Thursday evening with a fair attendance.

On the evening of Sept. 25, pictures about the Revised Standard Bible were shown and were very interesting and instructive. At the same time Roland Foster showed colored pictures of his trip in Canada. These too were much enjoyed.

Plans are being made to reopen the Bible School on Oct 5th.

We appoint Annie S. Derrier and Flora E. Lord a Committee to act with a similar Committee from the Monthly Meeting to nominate Elders for three years.

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On Saturday Oct. 10. the Assembly of
God Church desires to hold their Convention
in our meetinghouse. We approve of this.

On Tuesday evening Oct. 28. George Selleck is
expected to show pictures taken by him and
tell about the World Conference of Friends
held in Oxford, England on the occasion
of the 300th Anniversary of the founding
of the Religious Society of Friends. which
he attended as a delegate from New England.

There being no further business, we conclude

W. Carlton Jones
clerk.

Nov. 5. 1952. Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at the Meetinghouse 11/Nov. 5. 1952.
9 Members present.

During the devotional period some questions
were asked pertaining to the early founders and
events of the Religious Society of Friends.

Minutes of the last Meeting were read
and approved.

On Saturday, Nov. 11. the Assembly of God
Church held their Convention in the
Meetinghouse, as desired.

Tuesday evening, Oct. 28. George Belleck
showed the pictures taken by him in
Oxford, Eng. and told of the Conference
held there. Quite a number, other than
our own group, were present and all spent a
very pleasant and profitable time. Refreshments
were served after the meeting.

Sunday, Nov. 2. the Sunday School was reopened.

The Sunday Morning Worship service has claimed
our serious consideration, having in mind how
it could be more helpful. Events to come
will be posted on the Bulletin Board rather than
being announced from the pulpit.

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We recommend that Sylvia Osman be paid Five dollars per week beginning Nov. 1, 1952. for her work in connection with the Brummy School.

Millard J. Lawrence, and Flora E. Lord, are appointed to arrange for entertaining the Osmans on Sundays.

Marjorie B. Chase and Grace F. Atkins are appointed to make plans for a reception to be given Wesley and Sylvia Osman on Nov. 23. in the afternoon. We hope to have Milton Hadley at our morning meeting that day.

No further business appearing, we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk

12 Mo / 1952. Syn Local Meeting on Ministry and
 Counsel, held at the Meetinghouse 12 mo 3, 1952.
 11 members present.

The devotions were led by Ethel S. Spinner.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Sunday Nov. 23, in the afternoon, a
 reception to Wesley and Sylvia Osman was held.
 It was well attended and very successful.

Milton Hadley was unable to be present so
 Russell Brooks, from Moonsocket, represented
 the Yearly Meeting, and Warren F. Goodwin,
 President of the Syn Council of Churches,
 extended a welcome from that group.

After responses from Sylvia and Wesley, they
 were greeted by those present. Refreshments
 were served by the ladies.

Efforts are being made to stimulate more
 interest in the Sunday School, among the
 adults as well as the children.

Much consideration was given regarding the
 Sunday Morning Meeting. We greatly desire to
 be led by the Holy Spirit and truly worship
 God in Spirit and in Truth.

The organizing of a Quaker Mass group was presented
 and also the need of reviving the Missionary Society.
 There being no further business, we concluded.
 W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

Jan. 1953 Synod Local Meeting on Ministry and Council, held at the Meetinghouse Jan. 6, 1953. Eight members present besides Wesley and Sylvia Asman. The clerk led the devotions.

Minutes of the last Meeting were read and approved also the called meeting of Dec. 28, 1952. at which we approved of having one of the Bibles at our morning Meeting on Jan. 18, 1953 and recommend that a special offering be taken for their work.

The time for which the clerk was appointed having expired, W. Earlton ^{jr} was reappointed for the coming year.

The Issues were read and considered. We appoint Grace P. Atkins, Ethel E. Spinnery, Clayton L. Spinnery, John W. Mader and W. Earlton Jones, our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held in Cambridge, on the 19th inst.

A letter has been sent out to members of the Meeting and also to others who are now or have been at one time, fellowshiping with us, announcing the recent coming of Wesley and Sylvia Asman, to walk with us.

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This letter also informed that on the evening of Jan. 15th, the picture, "A Time for Greatness" produced by the American Friends Service Committee, will be shown at the Meetinghouse.

Marjorie B. Chase and Flora E. Ford are appointed a Committee to report on the Spiritual Condition of Lynn Meeting. Wesley L. Oman will assist them.

A request for membership in the Lynn Meeting has been received from Frances Trimble Love. Grace B. Atkins and Eldred S. Spinney will confer with her, and report to our next meeting.

Wesley L. Oman and Sylvia Oman, have requested membership in the Lynn Meeting as Affiliated Members. We unite in granting this request and are glad to welcome them into fellowship with us.

A verbal report of the Home Department of the Sunday School was given.

Holding a Meeting on Sunday nights and the forming of a discussion group, using "Steps to Peace" as a basis, was considered.

The Meeting concluded at ten o'clock. W. Carlton Jones
S. L. Clark.

Qmrs 1953

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Counsell held Feb. 4. 1953.

4 members present.

no devotional period was observed.

Minutes of the last meeting were read
and approved.

Qmrs Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
attended, with one exception, that because
of illness.

A request for membership has been
received received from Madeline F.
Lawyer. Annie S. Derrier and
Millard J. Lawrence are appointed to
confer with her.

The gathering at which the picture
"A time for Greatness" was shown on
Jan. 15, was a very pleasant occasion
and well attended. Russell Johnson
led the discussion, after the picture. This
was followed with the serving of
refreshments.

We approve of a Peace Study Group
on Sunday evenings, as away may open.

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arrangements for a special meeting on Feb. 15. are being made; at which Prentiss Pemberton will present; "The Christians Responsibilities and Civil Liberties".

Feb. 8. 1953

A called Meeting on Ministry and Council held at the close of the Morning Meeting Feb 8. The Committees to confer with Frances Trimble Gore and Madeline F. Sawyer reported in favor of granting these requests for membership with us.

We approve of this report and recommend to the Monthly Meeting that Frances Trimble Gore and Madeline F. Sawyer, be received into Active Membership with us.

Dr. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

3rd mo 1953 Lyman Local Meeting on Ministry
and Counsel held at the Meeting house
March 4. 1953. 7 Members present.

A devotional period was led by the Clerk.

Records of the ^{regular} Meeting and the called
Meeting of February 8, were read and
approved.

The gathering on February 15, at which
Prentiss Tumberton was the speaker,
was well attended, and the discussion
which followed his talk was very interesting
and helpful. A social time with refresh-
ments gave a pleasant ending for the evening.

Sunday evening meetings are still
being considered.

The Clerk is instructed to obtain one
dozen Application ~~Card~~ for Membership
Cards, as approved and issued by
the Friends Headquarters, in Richmond, Ind.

We approve of having Georges Vilton
speak at our Monthly Meeting on Mar. 11.

Adjourned to meet at the close of the
morning Meeting. March 8.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

3 Mo. 1953 March 8, 1953. Met according to adjournment.
adj. Meeting.

The Committee to report on the spiritual condition of Synn Meeting, is continued.

Concern regarding prospective members was given much thought and Annie S. Derrier and Corinne C. Foster will confer with Helen Tucker. John H. Mader and Grace P. Atkins are asked to confer with John Gardner.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

4 Mo. 1953

Synn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel, held at 123 Portland Street, Synn April 1, 1953.
10 Members present.

After a season of devotion the records of the regular meeting held, March, 4, and the adjourned meeting of March 8, were read and approved.

George Vilton was very acceptably in attendance, and spoke at the Monthly Meeting on March, 11.

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A report on the Spiritual Condition of Synn Meeting has been presented. We approve of this report and forward it to the Monthly Meeting.

The application for membership cards have been received.

Annie D. Dernier and Corinne L. Foster have called on Helen B. Tucker, and she has applied for Active Membership in Synn Meeting. We recommend that the Monthly Meeting grant this request.

Special music will be provided at the worship service on Sunday March 29, and plans are being made for the observance of Easter Sunday, April 5, when Frances T. Isore and Madeline F. Sawyer, will be welcomed as new members, also Wesley and Sylvia Roman.

We have participated in the Lenten Services which have been held in the First Methodist Church, each Sunday evening since Feb. 22, and will attend the noonday Meetings to be held at the Warner Theatre during the week of March 29th. An invitation to the Candle Light Service in the Advent Church on Friday evening April 3, has been received.

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Plans for a special meeting on April 9th. with Cecil Hinshaw as speaker, are being made, also for the Institute, sponsored by the yearly Meeting to be held Sunday afternoon, April 19th.

A speech Contest, sponsored by the Social Concerns Committee of the yearly Meeting, has received our attention.

Wesley and Sylvia Osman, plan to attend, the Institute to be held in Winthrop Maine April 26th.

With no further business we conclude.

W. Carlos Jones. Clerk

5mo 1953 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
 Counsel held at the Meetinghouse
 May 6, 1953.
 12 members present.

Minutes of the last Meeting were read
 and approved.

The special music rendered by
 Fred Smart on March 29 and Barbara
 Lord, Jane and June Gibson on Easter
 Sunday April 5th - was ^{greatly} much appreciated.
 and added much to the services.

The meeting on April 9th with Cecil
 Hinshaw as the speaker, proved a
 very helpful and inspiring occasion.
 His talk was on Peace. About 50 were
 present, a number of whom were strangers.
 At the close of his address, refreshments
 were served.

The Institute held on the afternoon
 of April 19, was a time of fine fellowship.
 The topics considered, the serving of refresh-
 ments and the summing up of the various
 concerns, proved a great inspiration.

The Inquiries have been read and considered
 at this time. we appoint Millard T. Lawrence

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John N. Mader and Flora E. Lard, our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held at Amesbury on the 16th.

Requests for Active Membership have been received from Geoffrey and Kathryn Martin and for Associate Membership for their four sons - Edward 12, John 10, Court 5, and Peter 3. We appoint Wesley^H Osman, John N. Mader, Ethel S. Spinney and Marjorie B. Chase, a Committee to confer with these friends and report at an adjourned meeting.

Wesley H. Osman suggested that an analysis of our Meeting be made and the Yearly Meeting be asked to help guide us in our Meeting. He also felt that he and Sylvia could not be able to serve the Synn Meeting under the present arrangements and they desired a week - the last of May and also the first of September for a vacation. A definite proposition will be presented by them at an adjourned meeting.

Adjourned to meet May 12, at 7:30 PM

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

5mo 12/953 At an adjourned Meeting of Ministers
and Counsel held May 12. 1953.
9 Members present

After further consideration, we approve of
having Wesley D. and Sylvia Osman continue
with us until September 1st 1953. under
the present arrangements, except that they
are to occupy the Parsonage after the
first of July 1953.

Beginning Sept. 1. 1953. they are to have two
weeks vacation and receive Thirty dollars
per week until May 15. 1954.

The Committee appointed to confer with
the Martins in regard to their requests
for membership, has met with them.

It was learned that they are soon to
return to their home in Topeka, Kansas
and would be residing in the vicinity of
Lawrence. Kan. Meeting. therefore we do not
recommend that these requests be granted
at this time. However, we suggest that the
Clerk of Lynn Monthly Meeting inform the
Lawrence Meeting that these friends are
locating near them and recommending
that they get in touch with the Martins,
as potential members of the Society of Friends.
Wesley D. Osman submitted several recommendations
which will be considered further.

Concluded at 10 o'clock. W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

6th. 1953

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at the Meetinghouse June 3. 1953.
10 members present.

The devotional period was led by Grace
P. Atkins, followed by reading the minutes
of the last regular meeting and the
adjourned meeting.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly
Meeting attended except one.

The Committee to confer with Helen
F. Holmes in regard to her request for
membership, report a satisfactory inter-
view and we approve of receiving her
into Active Membership with us.

During the past month each Sunday
afternoon at four o'clock, a group has
been meeting to consider Peace concerns.

The Bible Study Group have met each
Tuesday evening with an average atten-
dance of 12.

We approve of omitting the meeting of
this body during July, subject to the
call of the Clerk.
Suggestions made by Wesley Osman will be further
considered at Monthly Meeting. W. Walton Jones, Clerk.

Emo 14 53

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministers
and Counsel held at the Meetinghouse
Aug. 5. 1953. 5 members present.

After a season of devotion ~~the~~ during
which the Inquiries were read, the
minutes of the June meeting were
read and approved.

We appoint Flora E. Ford, Grace P.
Atkins and W. Carlton Jones our Repre-
sentatives to the Quarterly Meeting to
be held in Lynn, August. 15.

Provision for the two weeks in September
when the Osmons will be away, not
complete. Plans are being considered
for reopening the Sunday School.

There being no further business we conclude.
W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

Emo 11 53

At a called meeting of Ministry and Counsel
held at the close of the morning meeting Aug. 23.
9 members present.

Franklin ^{Pink} will be asked to be at our meeting for
worship on Aug. 30. and Richard Hathaway
will attend on Sept. 6.

Concluded.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

9th Mo. 1953 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
 Counsel held at the Meetinghouse
 September 2, 1953. 7 members present
 five taking part in the devotional
 period.

Minutes of the meeting held Aug. 5, and
 the called meeting of Aug. 23, read
 and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly
 Meeting, all attended.

J. Franklin Tineo was very acceptably
 in attendance at our meeting for worship
 on Sunday Aug. 30 and Richard Hathaway
 is expected for Sunday Sept. 6.

The Religious Education Committee is making
 arrangements for Rally Day on Sunday Sept. 27.

A suggested change in the time of holding
 our worship service and the Sunday School
 was considered but it does not seem
 advisable at to make any change
 at this time. A survey for the Sunday
 School is being planned.

Katherine Daviland will show pictures of
 Jordan and tell of the work done there, on Wed. eve,
 Sept. 23, under the auspices of the Missionary Society.
 There being no further business, we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

10 mo
 1953

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
 Counsel held at the home of Enriett and
 Margorie Chase - 43 Cherry St. Lynn. Oct. 7, 1953.
 11 members present.

In the devotional period, Flora E. Lord
 gave some of the High Lights of the Workers
 Conference, held in Poughkeepsie N. Y., which
 she and Frances Gove and Wesley Osman attended.

Records of the last meeting were read and
 approved.

Richard Hathaway brought a very helpful
 message on Sunday Sept 6th. and on Wednesday,
 Sept. 23, Katherine Caviland showed pictures
 of Jordan and told of the work being done
 there, to a very appreciative audience. in
 the meetinghouse.

Rally Day was observed on the 27th of Sept.
 and the Sunday School reopened.

The Inquiries have been read and considered
 at this time! We appoint Flora E. Lord, Grace
 P. Atkins, Annie S. Dornier and Millard T.
 Lawrence, our Representatives to the
 Quarterly Meeting to be held in Weare N. H.
 on the 17th.

10 mo. 1953
CONT.

Marjorie B. Chase and Flora E. Lord are appointed a Committee to act with a similar Committee from the Monthly Meeting to nominate Elders for three years.

The possibility of a study group with Cavanagh's book, 'Inaker Approach to Modern Times', as a text book and also of having a Prayer Meeting at the Meeting house on the 28th. Claimed our consideration. We approve of having a Prayer Meeting and other meetings as way may open.

We note at this time the passing of Emma A. Fisher on Oct 1st. A valued member of Lynn Meeting and for many years an Elder. She was faithful in attendance at the Meetings and also in witnessing to the saving and keeping power of her Savior. Being in her 90th year, she had lived a long and useful life.

The business being accomplished we conclude.

H. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

11mo 1953 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held at the Meeting house Wednesday evening Nov. 4. 1953. 9 members present.

After a few moments of silence the records of the last meeting were read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting in Ware, N. H. all attended but not the session of Ministry and Counsel because of unexpected delay in arriving on time.

A Prayer Meeting was held at the Meeting House on Wed. evening the 28th of October and those present felt that such a meeting should be held at least once a month.

Efforts will continue to be made to get in touch with Arthur D. Santinier in regard to his membership.

Taking topics for discussion from John Kavanagh's book, "Quaker Approach to Contemporary Affairs", was considered and Nov. 30 set for the next meeting for that purpose. Another Prayer Meeting was appointed for Nov. 12.

11 mo 1953

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Following this meeting Leslie and Wanda Hayman, showed pictures taken in Iceland - Greece and Germany, and told of the work there in which they have been engaged - especially at the Friendship House in Northern Germany. An offering was taken for their work.

Concluded at ten o'clock.

St. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

12 mo 1953

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel, held at 20 Phillips Ave. Lynn 12 mo 2, 1953.
4 members present.

Marjorie B. Chase led in the devotions.
Records of the last meeting read and approved.

On Nov. 12th a few met at 20 Phillips. (hereafter known as Friends Center) for a Prayer Meeting.

We approve of having Dedication Exercises at the Center, on Sunday Dec. 13, at 11 o'clock, at which Milton H. Hadley and others will participate and to have Open House from 3 to 6 in the afternoon. Plans are being made to have a Christmas Pageant by the children of the Bible School. Sunday afternoon Dec. 20, at 6 o'clock.

The meeting concluded to meet at the call of the Clerk, if necessary.
St. Carlton Jones. Clerk.

Jan 1954 Lyinn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at Friends Center, Jan. 6, 1954
16 members present.

In the devotional period the queries were
read and considered.

Minutes of the last Meeting were read and approved.

The dedication of Friends Center at 20 Phillips Ave.
Lyinn, Mass. was observed on Sunday Dec. 13, 1953
at the Worship Service at 11 o'clock. Milton H. Hadley
was present and brought a very helpful message.

The Open House in the afternoon was a pleasant
occasion and about 100 were there.

Another Prayer Meeting was held on Dec. 16
and it was felt that such a meeting should
be held at least once a month.

The Christmas Pageant presented by the
Sunday School on the afternoon of Dec. 20
was splendidly done and much enjoyed by
those present.

A communication is received from the
Clerk of the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel expressing a concern relative to the
spiritual condition of our Quarterly Meeting
and the need for ways to increase the

1 mo 1954 interest and attendance at the sessions each
CONT. quarter.

Another concern was presented regarding some activities for Young Friends when the Adults were having their meetings. It is desired that suggestions or recommendations bearing on these concerns be presented by each Monthly Meeting, at the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel, to be held in Cambridge on the 16th of this month.

This will be presented to the Monthly Meeting next week.

The following are appointed our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held in Cambridge on the 16th at 10 o'clock A.M. Annie S. Dornier, Grace P. Atkins and John W. Mader.

Our deep sympathy goes to Wesley and Sylvia Osman at this time, in the loss of Wesley's mother who died on Sunday Dec. 27, 1953 in California.

H. Carlton Jones is reappointed Clerk for the coming year.

Plans for future Meetings of a Peace Study Group are being made.

Nov 1954

Plans for having a 6 o'clock supper, followed by the Meeting on Ministry and Counsel before Monthly Meetings on the second Wednesday of each month was considered. As next month is the Annual Meeting of the Monthly Meeting, no action was taken at this time.

We approve of having Mark Pouch, Minister of the Worcester Meeting, exchange with Wesley Asman on Feb. 14th.

There being no further business we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk

2mo, 1954 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Counsel held at Friends Center Feb. 3, 1954.
9 members present.

After a devotional period led by the clerk,
minutes of the last meeting were read and
approved.

The Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
all attended except one, who was ill.

We desire, at this time, to extend our
sympathy to the family of Herman and
Phyllard Lawrence, in the passing of their
loved one; Also our thoughts and prayers
go out to Leda Watson, who is very ill.

Plans for Sunday evening meetings after
Easter were considered.

We approve of uniting with other Churches
in Sunday Evening meetings, during Lent.

As Wesley and Sylvia Roman are to return
to Calif. about June 1st. we are concerned
with obtaining someone to take their places.

With no further business we conclude to meet
the first Wednesday in March.

Sp. Carlton Jones.

clerk.

3rd Mo 1954 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry
and Council held at Friends Center
March 3, 1954. 10 members present.

The devotions were led by Ethel Spinner.

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

A committee of the whole considered
the report to be made on the spiritual
condition of Lynn Meeting, which is to be
sent on to the Monthly Meeting and then
to the Quarterly Meeting. Many thoughts
were expressed and suggestions made!
The clerk is directed to present a
summary of these at an adjourned
Meeting.

On Sunday Feb. 14, Amiya Chakravarty,
a native of India, who is now a Professor
at Boston University, was at our meeting for
worship and told of some of the ^{work done} by Friends.
His talk and message were ^{much} appreciated.

On Feb. 22. several from our meeting
went to Cambridge where we heard Errol
Elliott, Editor of the American Friend,
tell something of his recent visit to
East Africa and Jordan.

Emo 1954 Sunday Feb. 28. Wesley Osman attended
 Cont. the Lawrence Meeting.

Grace P. Atkins, Marjorie B. Chase and
 George J. Bliss are appointed a Committee
 to interview a prospect or prospects, for
 minister of Lynn Meeting.

We adjourn to meet at the close of
 the Morning Meeting. next Sunday, Mar. 7.
 H. Carlton Jones
 Clerk.

Emo 7, 1954 Met according to adjournment.
 16 present.

A report of the Spiritual Condition of
 Lynn Meeting was presented and considered.
 We approve of this report and forward it
 to the Monthly Meeting to be held Mar. 11, 1954

H. Carlton Jones
 Clerk.

4th Mo. 1954 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel, held at Friends Center, April 7, 1954
9 Members present.

Wesley Osman led in the devotions.

Minutes of the last Meeting and the
adjourned Meeting, were read and approved.
Mar 10 Entertained Ministerial Class.

Sunday, March 14 Wesley Osman went to
the Worcester Meeting, while Mark Gouch
and his wife from that Meeting were with us.
Mark brought us a very happy message.

Tuesday, March 23. we met with
Floyd Moore of North Carolina, having
in mind the possibility of his coming
here to be our minister, no definite
action was taken.

An Easter Program is being planned
by the Sunday School for Easter Sunday,
April 18.

We approve of the Executive Committee
of the Lynn Council of Churches meeting
here on April 27, also of entertaining
the Protestant Guild for the Blind, on
Wednesday afternoon, May 19.

4mo. 1954
CONT.

Arrangements have been completed for four Sunday night meetings, beginning April 25. Light refreshments at 6.30, to be followed by a meeting at 7.15, with different speakers, each evening.

We suggest to the Monthly Meeting that a call be extended to Floyd Moore to serve as our minister, provided satisfactory arrangements can be made.

There being no further business we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

5mo. 1954

Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held May 5. 1954 at Friends Center. Seven members present.

Following a devotional period led by the Clerk, using the series, records of the last meeting were read and approved.

We appoint as our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel to be held in Amesbury on the 15th inst. Annie D. Bernier, W. Carlton Jones and Willard T. Lawrence.

5 mo 1954
CONT. The Easter Program was well carried out by the Sunday School.

The Executive Committee of Syn Council of Churches met here on April 27 as planned.

The two of four planned Sunday evening meetings have been very interesting and profitable with good attendance. Marjorie Williams being with us on April 25 and Milton Hadley May 2nd.

A communication from Floyd Moore was reported and he is willing to come June 1st. The Committee already under appointment, will consider a detailed reply to be presented at the Monthly Meeting next Week.

The business being accomplished we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
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June 1954 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at Friends Center June 2, 1954
11 members present.

after a season of devotion led by the Clerk
the minutes of the last meeting were
read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
all attended.

Sunday evening May 9, Wesley Osman gave
a talk on John Woolman and Florence Sellick
on Rufus Jones. about 30 were present and
all enjoyed the talks. May 16 Jean Fairfax
told of the work of the A.F.S.C. and
showed pictures of some of the places
where this work has been done, mostly
in rehabilitation. These gatherings
the past four Sundays have proven well
worth while.

Wesley, Sylvia and Julia Ann Osman, left
for Calif. on May 28. Their services,
while with us have been very helpful
and we pray the blessings of God may
be with them in their new field of work.

Word has been received that Floyd Moore
and family will arrive about June 3.

June 1954
Cont.

We trust their coming to us will result in renewed interests and activities in the Lynn Friends Meeting.

A request for Affiliated Membership with us has been received from Vina Pearl Skinner. We approve & granting this request.

A Certificate of Transfer of Membership from New Garden Monthly Meeting, Guilford College, N.C. to Lynn Monthly Meeting, has been received from for J. Floyd Moore - a minister of the Gospel, Lucretia, his wife, and Associate Membership for their three children, Saul, Randy, and Douglas. We approve of this certificate and are very pleased to welcome this fine family into our Christian Fellowship.

On May 19, 29 members of the Guild for the Blind were entertained here. 11 Blind persons were among those present. May baskets were given out and refreshments served by ~~our~~ group from our Meeting.

There being no further business we conclude to meet at the call of the clerk if desired, before the next regular Meeting.

W. Carlton Jones.
Clerk

June 1954 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel
held at Friends Center July 7, 1954.
10 members present

After a season of devotion. Minutes of the
last meeting were read and approved.

The Moores arrived late at night June 2.
Sunday afternoon June 20, a reception was
tendered them at which about 75 were
present.

A number from Lynn Meeting attended
New England Yearly Meeting at Concord, Mass.
June 22-27. Floyd Moore assisted with the
Young Friends Group and also preached at
the Worship Service on Sunday.

While the Sunday School is discontinued
for the summer, the Meeting ^{for} worship
at 11 o'clock on Sundays has been maintained
and well attended.

Floyd Moore has visited many of our
members, both Lynn and Union Heights.
The G. W. C. A., Police Station, Lynn Elm, etc.
and has found in his visitation a sincere
desire to build up the Lynn Meeting and
at this time a number of suggestions have
been brought before us. Such as having a

June 1966
Cont.

Mens Group, Bible Study, Faith and Practice
of Friends, Peace and Social Concerns
gatherings. More participation by those
who attend our Meetings for Worship and
work in the Sunday School

Garry Moody attended the Institute of
International Relations at Friendly Crossways
in Harvard Mass. and David Spinkley goes
with a caravan of young Friends to
North Carolina ^{visiting} Friends Centers
and other points of interest on the way.

Laurence and Lois Chase, Virginia Gove
Lyonthia and Eric Bliss will be at
the Work Camp in South China Maine
for a week or more during the season.

At ten o'clock the Meeting concluded
to meet at the usual time in August.

W. Carleton Jones
clerk.

June 1954 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Council
held at Friends Center Aug. 4, 1954
8 members present.

Floyd Moore led in the devotion and emphasized that love and unity in our meeting are so necessary for effective service and work.

Records of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Queries were read and considered.
We appoint John H. Mader, J. Floyd Moore
and Anne S. Derrier our representatives
to the Quarterly Meeting to be held in Lynn
August 21.

Some of the concerns brot up at the
last meeting were further considered.

The membership of Arthur D. Sackmiller has
claimed our attention and further efforts
will be made to contact him at his home
in Calif.

No further business appearing we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

June 1954 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held at Friends Center Sept. 1, 1954. 8 members present.

Devotions led by the Clerk.

Records of the last meeting read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting on Aug. 21, all attended.

The Quarterly Meeting was held at the Friends Center, 2nd Phillips Ave. Lynn, as scheduled, with nearly 100 in attendance. Milton Hadley and Russell Brooks were present, also Milana White who had just returned from Jordan. Dinner was served on the ~~lower~~ lawn and was much enjoyed by all.

In the business meeting, Mildred White spoke of the conditions in Jordan. At the close of the business session a Service at Henry Perry Beach in Nahant, was a pleasing climax to a day, rich in blessings, both spiritual and temporal.

Some considerations were given at this time in regard to the Sunday School and Thursday School.

June 14, 50. We are favored at this Meeting with having Robert
 Court. and Jean Leach with us. They are members of
 the Friends Meeting in Geneva, Switzerland and
 told of the work being done there, answering
 many questions. It was of much interest to
 learn that Floyd Moore and Robert Leach were
 class mates at Pennale Hill and that Robert
 was best man at Floyd's marriage.

After the Meeting an informal reception
 was given the Leachs and refreshments served.

W. Carlton Jones
 Clerk

10 Nov. 1954 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
Council held at Friends Center Oct. 6, 1954.
10 members present.

Flora E. Lord led in the devotions.

Records of the last meeting read and approved.

During the past month the Sunday School has reopened with Frances Gore as Superintendent and a Bible class for adults, with Floyd Moore as teacher, meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings, while a Peace and Social Concerns group, meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursday evenings. It is very encouraging to note the increased interest and attendance at these meetings as well as at the Worship Service on Sunday mornings.

On Saturday, Oct. 2nd, More than 20 from our meeting attended the re-dedication of the old Bolton Meetinghouse, recently moved to Starbridge Village, Mass. It was a very impressive gathering. Alexander Burdy gave the address.

The Queries have been read and considered at this time. We appoint Annie S. Lerner, Flora E. Lord and W. Carlton Jones

10 Nov. 1954 Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be
 Cont. held at Lawrence, on the 16th.

The following are appointed a Committee to act
 with a similar Committee from the Monthly Meeting,
 to nominate Elders for three years;

Margerie B. Chase, W. Carlton Jones.

There being no further business we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
 Clerk.

11 Nov 1954 Lynn Local Meeting on Ministry and
 Counsel held at Friends Center Nov. 3, 1954.
 5 members present.

Annie S. Derrner led in the devotions.

Records of the last Meeting read and
 approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
 all attended.

The workshop Meeting, sponsored by the
 Yearly Meeting Superintendents, held at
 University Sunday afternoon Oct. 24.
 was attended by several from our Meeting.

10 The ideas exchanged and considerations given whereby our Meetings can be made helpful, locally, nationally and Internationally were very helpful and challenging. That Sunday evening we united with other Synn Churches in sponsoring a Union Service in the First Methodist, where Dr. McBracken, of New York City was the speaker.

The Halloween Party held in the Meeting House, Friday evening Oct. 29. was a great success, and much credit should be given to Cora Cann and her helpers. From that gathering a fund was started for the purchase of new chairs for our Meeting.

Plans are complete for the visit of Esther Rhodes on Monday night Nov. 8. She will speak about her work in Japan, where she succeeded Elizabeth Lacy Vinning in tutoring the Crown Prince of Japan.

During the Missionary Society and getting more women interested in some project all could unite with was considered at length.

Nov 1954
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Floyd Moore expressed a concern for more unity in our Meeting.

A suggestion that steps be taken to commemorate our first anniversary at Francis Center in December, was made but no action taken.

No further business appearing was concluded.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

12 Nov 1954

Lynn Local Meeting on Minister and Counsel held at Francis Center Dec. 6, 1954.
7 Members present.

The clerk led in the devotions using the 23rd Psalm.

Records of the last Meeting were read and approved.

Monday, Nov 8. Esther Rhodes spoke to a very interested group. Her talk about Japan and her work with the Royal family was much enjoyed.

During the past month we have been favored by ~~by~~ having David Adkin Secretary of Lynn Chamber of Commerce

Nov 1954
C. R. T. Spoke to us one Sunday Morning.
David Ensign and his wife another
Sunday morning and Evelyn T. Coon
and Dr. Elizabeth S. Orison from Williston
Meeting, Malvern, Pa. at another.

On Friday evening, Nov. 11, George Hauser
who had just returned from South Africa
spoke to a large group, about conditions
there.

November 29 the women of our Meeting
met to organize and decided to meet
the fourth Monday in each month.

A request for Active Memberships has been
received from Richard S. Gove and for
Associate Membership for Virginia ~~Gove~~ Gove
and Richard S. Gove, Jr.

John W. Mader, Grace P. Atkins, Ethel S. Spinner
and W. Carlton Jones are appointed a committee
to wait on these friends and report at our
next Meeting.

Plans for a Religious Canvas of Lyman to be
taken on Jan. 23. are being completed.
Also a follow-up plan ~~is~~ under consideration.

Concluded to meet at the usual time
in 1st Month, 1955.

W. Carlton Jones. Clerk.

10th Mo. 1955 Synodical Meeting on Ministry
and Communion held at Friends Center
1mo 5, 1955 8 Members present

The Series were read and considered
in the devotional periods.

Records of the last Meeting read and
approved.

We appoint Ethel S. Goinny, of Flood
Moore and Grace S. Pedro, our
Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
to be held in Cambridge on the 15th.

The Committee appointed for that
purpose, have met with Richard
Sumner Gove. A letter of transfer
from the Habant Village Church has
also been received. We recommend
that his request for Active Membership
in the Synod Meeting be granted, and
also the request for Associate Member-
ship for Virginia Star Gove and
Richard Sumner Gove Jr.

The time for which the Clerk was
appointed having expired, Anne S. Dornier
was appointed to that service for
one year.

1st Nov 1955

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Felling that the consideration of the Queries would be profitable during the Meeting for Worship on Sunday Mornings we approve of doing this beginning next Sunday - January 9. It is proposed to have one or two of these Queries presented at one time by a member of the Meeting on Ministry and Counsel.

On Friday evening Dec. 3. Wilfred Wellock, an English Friend, spoke to about 60 at the Center.

Sunday Dec 5, President. Clyde Melner of Guilford College, N.C. spoke at our Meeting for Worship. We were very glad to have him with us.

A Christmas Program, presented by the Sunday School, in the afternoon of Dec. 19, was a pleasant occasion.

Monday Dec 26, John Plank, of Cambridge gave a talk on El Salvador and showed pictures taken there.

Plans for the Religious Census to be taken in Lynn Sunday Jan 23 are practically complete.

2nd Nov 1955
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The Clerk is directed to obtain from Philadelphia and Richmond, samples of literature to be used in a follow-up program after the Census is taken.

The Meeting concluded at 10 P.M.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

2nd Mo. 2nd
1955

Lyon Meeting on Ministry & Counsel held at Friends Center - present

Minutes of the last meeting read & approved.
Devotions were led by the clerk.

Our representatives to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held in Cambridge 1st month did not attend because of unforeseen circumstances, but other members represented the Lyon Meeting.

The reading of the Querns at the Sunday worship service is being carried out as planned.

The religious Church census on Jan 23 was conducted with 26 persons helping outside and 4 at the Center.

Literature has been shown by Carlton Jones to be used in the follow up program.

There was much discussion on the follow up of the Census for meeting the needs of those unchurched in the Lyon area.

The Meeting recommended a minute to be sent

2nd moved to the Monthly Meeting asking for full co-operation
 1988 in a month of Visitation to the unchurched families
 Cont as soon as records are available.

11 Persons, representing Friends took part in the
 World Order discussion & work shop at the Cent
 Cong. Church on Feb 5.

The course of Bible study on the Old Testament
 concluded in January with a social time following.
 The next meeting will start the New Testament.
 There is great interest and benefit derived from some.
 Meeting Concluded,
 Anne S Hermer, Clerk.

3rd month
22nd

Ministry & Council held 3rd month 22nd
& members present.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.
Since it seemed advisable to hold the Annual Roll
Call supper on March 2nd, the usual meeting of
M & C was postponed.

11 members attended the Unitarian Church on
Thursday Feb 24. Milton Mayer & Morris Rubin spoke
on Foundations for Peace. This was sponsored by the
A. F. S. C. and Peace Study group.

A minute was forwarded to the Clerk of Monthly Mtg
regarding the follow up of unchurched persons as records
become available and literature received for same.

On Sunday Feb 27, Carola Bell Williams of Ossing, N. Y.
was present at the Service for Worship & gave a religious
dramatization entitled "The Supreme Court," depicting the
religious foundation of Brotherhood. It was a deeply
spiritual presentation & all were greatly moved by it.
Due thanks to Greta Rose for her help in bringing this
friend to us.

Asso. Membership
for Nancy Jane

Two applications for membership have been read
from James Toothaker of Saugus and John Cann of Lynn.
Mayorie Chase & Annie Pernice are appointed to call
on James Toothaker & Grace Atkins & Grace Lefter on J. Cann.
& report at next meeting on M & C.

Carlton Jones & Annie Pernice are asked to write
the Spiritual Condition of the Meeting & present it for
approval at the next M & C meeting.

Those who are to call on the unchurched families

3rd mtg

22 cont assembled to meet Sunday evening March 27 at 7.30
for instruction by Floyd Moore.

meeting concluded

Annie S. Bernier, Clerk.

4th
6th

Meeting on Ministry & Counsel 11 present

The fifth Chap. of Matthew was read by the Clerk
Minutes of the April meeting were read & approved.

On Sunday, Mar 27 Mrs Vance from the
Hannum State Hospital spoke of the need for Vol
workers and the problem of the mentally ill.

Miss Macdonald, a Senior at Classical High School
winner of an award for her Essay on Peace spoke also
& read her Essay to the Meeting.

The Spiritual Condition of the Meeting was read
and approved with minor changes & forwarded to M. Mtg.

The Committee appointed to call on John Cunn-
& James Toothaker did so. They report favorably
on their application for Membership also Asso. M.
for Nancy Jane Cunn. These will be sent to
Monthly Meeting for approval.

A transfer of Membership has been
received from Middle Conn. Valley of Friends

4 mo. 6th for Marjorie Williams. We are happy to
(Cont) welcome these friends into membership with us.

A report of the follow up of Church Census was given. Floyd Moore reported 500 letters with literature mailed, only 4 returned for improper address.

We approve of recommending to the Monthly Mtg that J. Floyd Moore be asked to serve us as Minister for two years at a salary of \$2900, and the same conditions as have applied in the past. He is to have one month's vacation when he desires it.

Meeting adjourned after a period of silence
Annie Bernier
Clerk.

Ministry & Counsel held at Friends Center
5th mo. 4th - 8 present

The Queries were read as part of the devotion.
Minutes of the April meeting read & approved.

Representative appointed to attend 2th Mtg in Amherst
5th mo. 21st are Ethel Spinney, Annie Bernier,
Carlton Jones & J. Floyd Moore.

We recommend to the Monthly Mtg, that the Sunday
morning service for worship be conducted at 10 A.M.
during July & August.

A recommendation has been sent to Monthly Meeting
that the name of Arthur Samtner Jr, be discontinued
as a member of Lynn Meeting. No reply has been received
to several letters over a period of 2 years.

The membership was discussed at length to
encourage non-active resident members to attend
meetings for worship & other activities.

J. Floyd Moore will take one week vacation
starting May 25 and 3 weeks in Aug.

Mr Roe ex Sec. of the Am. Bible Society
will speak on May 30.

Carlton Jones was asked to write to John L. Paige &
John Harding.

Grace Atkins to call on Eleanor Murphy,
adj An in S Bernier Clerk.

1955

Ministry & Council held 7th mo. 6th 7 present

Minutes of the May meeting read & approved.

Representatives to 2nd Mtg in Amesbury 6 mo 21st attended with one exception.

The June meeting of Ministry & Council was omitted & by telephone with members, all approved of inviting the Internes in Industry to conduct the Sunday service 6 mo 26th, as J. Floyd Moore was at Yearly Mtg.

A large number of Friends from Lynn Meeting & several children attended Yearly Meeting.

Representatives to Salem 2nd Mtg 8 mo 20th are Corinne Foster, Lucinda Moore, Grace Leger & John Trader.

During J. Floyd Moore's absence Carlton Jones will have charge of the meeting for worship on Aug 7. The Internes on Aug 14 & 20th will be a Quaker meeting.

Meeting approved of interchange of pulpits with Arthur Jones, Pastor of the Bethel M E Church sometime in the Fall.

An application for membership has been received from Adessa J. Willey & George H. Willey.

Grace Atkins & Ethel Spinney are appointed to call on them.

We recommend to the Monthly Meeting, the discontinuance of the name of Robt Cuban, as he has joined another Church.

On Oct 17 Gilbert Kilpach will visit Lyon Meeting.

A suggestion has been sent to Monthly Mtg for their consideration of holding the Mtg at the Libbey St Meeting House if convenient to the "Intimes".

Clerk,

Adjourned to meet at the call of the
Annie S. Bernier
Clerk.

At a called meeting on 8 mo 10th to hear the report of committee appointed to call on Adessa & George Willey in response to their application for membership. The report was favorable & a recommendation will be sent to Monthly Meeting.

Annie Bernier, Clerk.

1955 Ministry & Council 9th mo 7th 7 present

Minutes of the last meeting of 7th mo 6th were read & approved.

Also the called meeting of 8th mo 10th. This was to consider the report of the committee who called on Odessa & Geo Willey regarding their app. for membership.

Queries were read & thoughtful consideration given to them.

Representatives appointed to St. Mtz did so with one exception.

An application for membership has been received from Herbert A. Seaman. Carlton Jones & Lucinda Moore will call on him.

The religious growth of each person and a reaching out to families in the community has claimed our interest. To encourage a deeper spiritual life through reading devotional literature, Bible Study & Quaker History was stressed.

We are concerned with inactive members & hope to bring them into fellowship with us.

Meeting adj.

Annie Seaman, Clerk.

1936

10th mo. 5th Ministry & Counsel 8 present.

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved with one correction.

Carlton Jones led the devotion quoting from Norman Vincent Peale.

The Comm. appointed to call on Herbert Q. Seaman regarding his letter for membership report favorably. After careful consideration it was approved & a recommendation will be forwarded to Monthly Meeting.

Representation to Quarterly Meeting 10 mo. 18th at North Ware, N.H. are Grace LeGros, J. Floyd Moore & Carlton Jones.

We were pleased to have Cecil & Mary Pearson with us on 8 mo. 28th. They spoke with great appreciation & friendship for Syn Friends.

Several college students new in attendance also.

The growth of our Meeting was discussed & our help in encouraging attendance at Bible Study & other activities was stressed.

We expect to have Herbert Kelpach with us on Oct 17. He will speak on the spiritual foundation of a Friends Meeting.

Business accomplished was concluded.

Annie S. Diermer
Clerk.

1955

Ministry & Counsel held 12th mo. 7th 10 present

Minutes of the Oct meeting were read & approved. A period of silent worship was participated in. Representatives appointed to Quarterly meeting attended.

Due to storm & flood conditions on Oct 19 Gilbert Kilpack was unable to arrive in time for meeting scheduled. However, several members till 10.30 & had an opportunity to meet him.

The Childrens' Christmas program will be held Sunday Dec 18, at 6.30 p.m. under the direction of Frances Gore, Verna Toothaker, & Greta Rose. Visiting the shut-ins and elderly members of the Meeting was considered. The Miss group will provide cookies & candy, and visit them.

On Nov 27th Thomas Lung, a H.C. of East Africa spoke to a large audience of the Friends work in Kenya Colony. His visit & talk was much appreciated.

A certificate of Transfer of Membership from the Cambridge meeting, has been received for Esther Seaman and Assoc membership has been granted Anne Seaman, born Aug 22, 1954. We are happy to have them in our Meeting.

An application for membership has been received from Stanley & Jean Potter of Swampscott. Myronie Chas & Ethel Sperry asked to call after & report to the prior to Monthly mtg next week.

12 mo 7-1955 J Floyd Moore has been invited to speak at
 (Cont) New York 2nd Mtg on Sat Jan 29-1956 for
 one day. We are happy to grant this leave.

Meeting concluded

Annie S. Diermer, Clerk

12 mo 14 On 12 mo 14 a called meeting was included
 in the Monthly Meeting since all members
 were present and the application for membership
 of Stanley & Jean Potter was considered following
 the report of the Comm. who called on them.
 A minute was forwarded to the clerk of
 Monthly, Clayton Sperry, for approval.

Annie Diermer, Clerk.

1956

Ministry & Council 1st mo, 4th
12 members present

The minutes of 12 no. 55 were read & approved
For devotions the Quier were considered
Annie S. Bernier was appointed Clerk of M & C
for 1956.

Representative appointed to attend Salem 2nd Mtg
in Cambridge 1st mo, 21st are James Toothaker,
Grace Atkins & Annie Bernier.

Those who visited the 10 members, at Xmas time,
who are shut-in & took gifts of candy & cookies
reported very pleasant visits & the recipients were
very happy to be remembered & sent greetings to the Mtg.

The draft of our young men into the U. S. Service
was explained and discussed at great length.

We feel they will act according to their conscience
and the Meeting will prayerfully and with under-
standing, stand by whatever decision they make.

An invitation from Howard Smith, minister of the
Unitarian Church to unite with them in a service
for Worship was accepted, This to be held sometime
in Feb.

Elders are asked to appoint one or more to
sit with the minister on the facing seat each
Sunday morning.

Resp. submitted
Annie Bernier Clerk.

1956

2nd mo. 1st Meeting of Ministry & Counsel
11 members present.

Richard Gore led the devotions reading
1st Corinthians chap. 1.

Minutes of 1st mo. read & approved.
Representatives to Quarterly meeting attended
with one exception.

Carlton Jones read a letter from Eleanor Harding
requesting the name of her son, Colin, be removed
from the Associate membership list. Her interest
is with the Lynn Meeting & wishes her name to remain.
She enclosed check & Carlton Jones will acknowledge
same.

Helen Foster who has been confined to her home
is improving.

Plans were made with Floyd Moore for our
visit to the Unitarian Church on Feb 19.

Feb 5, the Youth fellowship will have a part
in service for worship speaking on Juvenile
delinquency.

Feb 12, Quaker men will observe their day
with John Lilly of the Y.M.C.A. as speaker.

Mar 21, the Guilford Choir of N. Carolina will
present a concert at the Central Cong. Church.

Friends are asked to co-operate & help with
the hospitality for these young people.

Our worship service was discussed & how
to improve it & reach out to fill the
spiritual needs of the members.

Floyd Moore has received an invitation to serve on the Summer school faculty at Pendle Hill, Pa for the month of July. We are in agreement to grant this pending his decision.

Carlton Jones offered prayer in closing.

Anne Demier, Clerk.

1956

3rd mo. 7th, Meeting on Ministry & Counsel.

7 members present & 4 other from the meeting. Devotions by Carlton Jones followed by prayer.

Minutes of 2nd mo. read & approved.

A large number of Friends attended the union service at the Unitarian Church & enjoyed fellowship with them at a coffee time following the service.

We appreciated the service of Joshua men on Feb 12. John Lilly of the Y. M. C. A. brought a fine message.

The concern of the four visiting members was brought for consideration, and a prayer group was discussed, and the first such group will meet at the home of Jean & Stanley Potter on Tuesday March 13 at 8 p.m.

Since this was the time for calling the minutes of Floyd Moore, we referred to a minute made in 4th mo 1955. As a reminder, this minute will be sent to Monthly Meeting.

Since one year will have ended on June 1 - 1956 it is the desire of Ministry & Counsel that J. Floyd Moore remain with us another year.

3rd mo 7-1966 (cont)

His ministry to the Syn Meeting has been most helpful and appreciated by all. There has been a deep spiritual growth and a keener sense of Christian living. Members have enjoyed a closer fellowship through all the activities.

An invitation has been received by Floyd More to serve on the Summer School faculty at Pendle Hill, Pa for the month of July, 1966.

We are in accord with this and recommend it to Monthly Meeting for their approval.

Floyd More has suggested that Ted Bonney, his wife and three children occupy their home at the Center during his absence and minister to the Meeting & whatever needs might arise. This would be at no cost to the meeting.

We recommend that Floyd More receive his monthly salary as usual & take his vacation at such time as seems desirable to him.

Respectfully Submitted
 Anne Hermon, Clerk.

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5th mo - 2nd Ministry & Counsel held 5th mo. 2nd 1956

9 members present

The Clerk read several paragraphs from Gertrude He Kock's book "Read & Live" on a chapter entitled "What is your religion?"

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Representatives to 2th Mtg. to be held in Amesbury 5th mo. 19 are Carlton Jones, Grace Le Gros, Grace Atkins and Geo Willey.

It has been called to the attention of M & C that J. Floyd Moore's salary be increased \$100 making it \$3000 a yr as per arrangement in 1954. A corrected minute will be sent to Monthly Mtg.

Word has been received that J. Floyd Moore has been awarded one of the Quaker Leadership grants for 1956 & 1957.

We rejoice with him in the recognition of his study & service in the promotion of Quakerism.

The Meeting is extremely grateful for the gift of 48 folding chairs from the Quaker Women's group.

The Annual report of the spiritual condition of the Meeting was read & approved. This to be forwarded to Monthly meeting for their consideration & approval.

The suggestion of changing time of Mtg for Worship during July & August has been discussed & will be left with Monthly Mtg for further discussion & approval.

Meeting Concluded.

Annice Bernier

Clerk.

1956

Spur Meeting Ministry & Counsel 6 mo. 6th 1956
8 members present.

Directions led by Grace Le Gros

Minutes of meeting in Fifth month read & approved
Representatives to 2th Mtg attended with two absentees.

A letter has been read from Bernal Toothaker
asking for Active membership for himself and Assoc
membership for Allen, Joyce, & Jeffrey Toothaker.

A committee was appointed to call on them, namely
Richard Gore & Marjorie Williams

The meeting approved of discontinuing the M & C
for July.

Theodore Benfey will give two lectures on July 12
& July 26. Topics will deal with Science & Religion.
He will be serving the Mtg for Worship during the
absence of J. Floyd Moore for July.

On June 28 the report on the Iron Institute
will be given by Jas. Toothaker.

Treasury & Counsel is informed that Salem
2th Mtg will be held at the Central Cong. Church
on Broad St, 8th mo 18th.

We adjourn to meet at 7.30 Wed 13th
prior to Monthly Meeting.

Annex S. Bernier, Clerk

1956

Adjourned Meeting of Ministry & Council
held June 13, 1956 5 present

The Committee to visit with Veriah Tookachee and her three children in regard to their request for membership in Syn Meeting, has met with them and recommend that their request be granted.

We therefore approve that these friends be accepted, and so inform the Monthly Meeting Veriah Tookachee as an Active Member & Allen, Joyce & Jeffrey as Assoc. members.

W. Carlton Jones

Clk for the Day.

Meeting on Ministry & Council for 7th mo omitted.

1956

Ministry & Council, July 8th no. 1st
& members present.

The Minutes were read & considered. & the minutes of previous meeting read & approved. Representation to Quarterly Mtg. Aug. 18th, are Grace P. Atkins, John M. Mader, Florence Aldrich.

We welcome back, J. Floyd Moore & family after an absence of one month at Pindle Hill.

Several members reported quite favorably on the conduct of Meetings for Worship under the direction of Ted Benfey.

J. Herschell Folger & Beatrice Folger visited Lynn & renewed friendships & met new members.

Consideration of our Meetings for Worship & ways of improving them, claimed our attention, also our relationship to our young people. Bible School work was also discussed.

The Clerk was asked to inform the Nom. Comm. about Bible School appointments.

The Bible Study group will continue, with a series of talks by Ch. Pastor, twice a month as formerly. 1st, General topics, 2nd Quakerism, 3rd Gospel of John.

Friends of W & E are responsible for a Meeting for Worship on Aug. 19th at 7 P.M. at the Cathedral in the Pine, Ridge, N. H. It is hoped that a number from Lynn will attend.

Meeting concluded

Annie S. Derran, Clerk

1954 Syn Meeting of Ministry + Counsel
held 9th mo, 5th, 9 members present.

Motions were led by the clerk.

Minutes of previous meeting read + approved
Representatives appointed to Quarterly Mtg did so
with one exception

Beginning in Oct, the Bible Study course under the
guidance of Floyd Moore will be held the First +
Third Thursdays evenings, and the Peace Fellowship
group will hold sessions on 2nd + 4th Thursdays
of each month.

Later in Sept, Christina + Wilgot Sjoman from
Sweden will speak at the Peace Fellowship mtg.
The service at the "Cathedral in the Pines" was
attended by 20 from Syn Meeting. The overall attendance
was good + George Bliss sat in the facing seat.

Floyd Moore expects to be on vacation from Sept 6 to 12th.
The Chairman of the Hom. Comm. has been unable to find
someone to take charge of the Bible School and Floyd
Moore will confer with the Rel. Ed Comm; so that the
Bible School will open with teachers provided for
the various classes.

The adult class will be started to consider + study
Faith + Practice.

Gas Toothaker has had a supply speaker for
two Friends Meeting + has benefitted from this experience.
The Syn Meeting has been represented this past
season, at China Camp, Ind, Yearly Meeting, Pindell Hill

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and Friendly Crossways.

We have received notice of the Workers Conf. held jointly with N. J. Yearly Mtg, from Oct 23 to 25th at Woolmark Hill.

Meeting concluded with the Clerk reading a poem entitled "Just for a Minute"

Annie S. Hermer, Clerk.

10th mo.

Oct meeting could not be held, due to small attendance, so adjourned.

Due to this, one was asked for at Monthly Meeting to name representative to 2nd Meeting to be held the 20th at Lawrence, Mass

Those named are Carlton Jones, J. Floyd Moore, Jas. Toothacker + Grace Atkins.

1954 12th mo. 5th Meeting of Ministry & Council
6 members present.

In the absence of the Clerk, H. Carlton Jones was appointed for the evening. No records of the previous meeting being available.

We approve of recommending to the Monthly Mtg that J. Floyd Moore remain until Sept 1, 1957, having July as his regular vacation and also the last week in August to attend a Conference in Ontario Canada if he so wishes.

J. Floyd Moore suggested that we take a forward look as to the best kind of service for Lyon Meeting, Pastoral, Programmed or as at present conducted. Our present weaknesses & what we hope to do in the next five years. He also informed us that Lyon Meeting seemed to be a model when compared with many others. Grace P. Atkins, Mayme B. Chase, Richard Gore, & H. Carlton Jones were appointed to consider a Minister to take J. Floyd Moore's place in 1957. Several possibilities were mentioned.

The coming series, starting in January on the 1st & 3rd Thursday evenings, concerning Quakerism will be helpful & informative. All are urged to attend.

A concern that we have on file information concerning relatives or friends who should be contacted in case of an emergency was.

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considered.

It was suggested that in considering the salary of a minister we determine a base figure for the first year and an increase each year for the next five years as we have done with Floyd Moore.

At the conclusion of the meeting, refreshments were served.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk, for term.

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Ministry + Council held 1st mo. 2nd 1957
8 members present.

Directions by the Clerk, reading from an article in the Am. Friend entitled, "Channels for the Spirit of God" by T. J. Solomon of Worcester Mtg.

Minutes of Dec, 1956 Mtg. was read + approved.
Anne S. Bernier was re-appointed Clerk with Carlton Jones assist. Clerk.

Representatives to Quarterly Mtg, Ministry + Council on 1st mo, 19th at Cambridge are
Dore Atkins, Jas Toothaker, & Carlton Jones.

Tristram Hadley was present + consulted + advised on the prospect of several ministers to serve Lynn Mtg. The Committee under appointment have taken this under consideration + will report at next meeting.

Floyd Moore will be absent on 1st mo 6th & Duane Thew will conduct the meeting for worship.

cont. Plan for visitation to shut in new grade
and names given to members for that purpose.
Meeting concluded with prayer by Carlton Jones,
Annie Hernier, Clerk

1957 2nd mo 6th Meeting on Ministry & Counsel
7 members present.

Devotions were conducted by J. Floyd Moore using
as his topic 27th verse of 20 Proverbs quoting
"The spirit of man is the lamp of the Lord",
searching all his inmost parts.

Minutes of the January Mtg were read & approved.
Representatives to Quarterly Mtg all attended & report
a good session

Annie Hernier & Grace Le Gro were named to draw
up a statement of the spiritual condition of the Mtg.
The visitation of members as planned has not
been completed.

The visit of Harold & Wanetta Chance was greatly
enjoyed & the colored slides of the A. F. S. C. work camp
in Mexico gave us a better understanding of what is
being done to help & bring about a better way of life for
our neighbors in that state.

Quaker Men invited Leslie Barnett as speaker for
their Sunday Service. He brought an inspiring message.

The special Comm. to plan & advise for future
leadership had nothing so far to report. They
will continue their assignment.

Meeting concluded, Annie Hernier Clerk.

1907

Sat. mo. 6th Meeting of Ministry & Council
8 members present

The Clerk read from Isaiah 55 for devotions.

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

A letter from Mary Horrell Jones, to J. Floyd Moore was read, asking him to be the leader of Group 5 at the Conf. of Friends in America at Wilmington, Ohio Oct. mo. 26 to 7 mo 3rd. We approve of granting the request & forward minute to Monthly Meeting.

A letter from Stanley & Jean Potter claimed our attention, regarding our type of Meeting for Worship. This was given thoughtful consideration & deemed unwise to make a change from our present procedure.

Grace Atkins reported for the Special committee and we approved of having Herbert Huffman for 1 year each Sunday, beginning Sept. 4 1957.

Monthly Meeting will receive a minute to that effect for their approval.

Meeting closed with Silent Prayer
Annex S. Herrick, Clerk

Ministry & Council held 4th mo. 3 - 1957

11 members + visitors present

Minutes of previous meeting & approved.

The report of the Spiritual Condition of Lynn Meeting for the year 1956 was read & approved, same to be forwarded to Mtly Mtg for their approval.

Herbert Huffman and his wife visited with us to discuss the possibilities of his being with us in Sept 1957 for each Sunday.

Because of the position he now holds, with the A. F. S. C. Regional office in Cambridge it would be impossible for him to make any commitments at this time. His work requires traveling & visiting meetings.

The names of several prospects were mentioned some local & others in the Mid West.

after a lengthy discussion and our needs for future leadership were considered, we decided to await a report from the building Comm.

The meeting concluded with prayer by Carlton Jones
Annie S. Dornier
Clerk.

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Ministry & Council held 5th mo 1st 1957
7 members present.

The Queries were read & a time of meditation followed.
Minutes of the April Meeting read & approved.

Representatives appointed to 2nd Mtg, Ministry & Council
are Grace L. Gro, Carlton Jones, Annie Bernier.

Permission was granted J. Floyd Moore to speak at
Moses Brown School 5th mo 25th at their invitation
Milton Hadley or George Bliss will be asked to serve
Lynn Mtg at that time.

The question of someone to occupy the Center during
July, during Floyd Moore's vacation was considered
& Bernier made inquiries.

The special committee to obtain leadership is working
along that line, but have no prospects as yet.

A letter from Ethel Amory, Clerk of M+C of Cambridge
Mtg was read, regarding the bringing of Associate
Members into Active Membership. At what age
is suitable? & how long should they be kept on
record as such when no interest is shown in the
Meeting.

This was thoroughly discussed and we felt that
an early age, probably beginning of teen age would
be appropriate.

Others referred to previously should be
discontinued and a letter sent to these Associates
I trust & our non-resident.

Meeting concluded with silent prayer
Annie Bernier
Clerk

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Ministry + Council held 6th mo 5 - 1957
8 members present.

Devotions by W. Carlton Jones, using a quotation from a selection by Earl Kinslow, "God encompassed my soul."

Minutes of previous mtg read + approved.
Representative to the mtg report they attended.
A great deal of time was given to Assoc membership + it was felt that each Mtg could decide as it seems best.

The time of Morning Worship, during July + August was discussed. A minute will be sent to Mtg Mtg for their consideration.
Meeting of M+C for July discontinued + will be held at the call of the Clerk when necessary.

The Special Comm. or Leadership report that the four prospects contacted will not be coming to N.E. Raye Jones has several students but none are Quakers. He has mentioned specifically, Eugene Casper of the Brethren Faith. When he arrives from Puerto Rico, he will be contacted.

Grace Atkins reported her visit with Joyce + Allen Toothaker, Assoc members. + Floyd Moore will talk with Lois Chao + Virginia Goe.

Three letters were sent to Roger Curran, Eleanor Murphy + John L. Paige notifying them of the discontinuance of their names as Assoc. members.

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6th mo 5
1957

Geo Fischer will be the speaker on Sunday June 30th
The Clerk will contact others at Yearly Mtg for
service during the absence of Floyd Moore.
Meeting concluded,
Annie S. Bernier, Clerk.

7th mo 31st

At a called meeting of M + C held 7th mo 31st at
20 Phillips Ave, 6 members present.

In the absence of the Clerk W. Carlton Jones served
in the place.

The following persons have served very acceptably
at our Sunday morning meetings

June 30 George Fischer

July 7 Herbert Huffman

" 14 Perry Van Dyke

" 21 W. Carlton Jones

" 28 Eugene Carper.

We feel that at present we should not consider
Eugene Carper on a permanent basis. Grace Atkins
will communicate with him.

We approve of obtaining different persons for our
Sunday Services during Sept + Oct and that the
Committee now under appointment be continued.

We suggest to the Monthly Mtg that consideration
be given to selling the property at 20 Phillips Ave
and a smaller place purchased so that we may
have a Parsonage available for a new minister.

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1957

A communication from Marshall Dutton has been received regarding his coming to Lynn Mtg + Grace atkins will get in touch with him + further consideration to given this possibility.

We conclude to meet at the call of the Clerk if advisable before the first Wed in Sept.

W. Carlton Jones

Clerk for the day.

9th mo
1957

Preceding Monthly Meeting, the Members of
Ministry & Counsel met at 7 p. m 9th mo 11-1957

Minutes of the called meeting were read & approved.
The special Comm. reported that they had met &
considered several persons for Sunday Worship service.
They are Robert Gusmer, Winifred & Leslie Bonett, Gorge
Sedlack & John Green.

Madame Chehevaraty spoke on Sept 8.
Richard Steate will be with us on Sept 15
Herbert Hoffman during Oct, with Linna
K. Painter also in Oct.

A communication from Jean Greer, Chairman of
the Comm. on Evangelism for the Council of Churches
has been read. This is in regard to classes for
information to couples of opposite faiths already
married or engaged.

We felt this to be of a delicate nature &
would approach such members carefully to get their
reaction to such a class.

Meeting concluded
Annie Derrin, Clerk.

1957

10 mo 2nd.

There being so few in attendance the regular order of business of Ministry & Council was deferred.

However, representatives to Salem Study Mtg at No. Weare, were appointed, George Willey, Jas. Toothaker & Grace Atkins.

Pearl Skinner has expressed a desire to be transferred from Affiliated membership to Active membership. We are happy to do this & will notify the Monthly Meeting.

A letter from Clara Warren, confined to a Nursing Home has been read. This is held over for the next meeting, in Nov.

Annie Bernier, Clerk.

11 mo. / 13

6 members present

The minutes of the last meeting were read & approved. Representatives report they all attended Study Mtg at No. Weare N.H.

The request for membership from Clara Warren has been given consideration & Pearl Skinner & Annie Bernier are to call on her.

Speakers have been secured for Dec & January. Dec 15 is Whittier Day & special attention will be given. Booklet on Whittier may be obtained, at 1.00 each.

Appreciation was expressed for the flowers each Sunday, provided by the Flower Comm. & Friends.

Meeting concluded

Annie Bernier Clerk.

Ministry & Counsel held 12 mo 11th 1957
8 present

Devotions were led by the clerk, reading a Christmas article from the Miss Advocate.

Minutes were read & approved.

A favorable report was given by Pearl Skinner & Anne Hermin who called on Clara Warren regarding her request for membership. This was approved & the Monthly Meeting will be so informed.

Plans were made to observe Dec 15 as Whittier Sunday with poems & songs.

A communication was read from Joe Tortachian requesting us & all meetings in Solimite to send in names of representatives in a drama of that day.

A concern was expressed by letter, from Geo. Killey regarding the time preceding the opening of the Worship Service. Would we then quit music or singing to prevent conversation & to make a more reverent attitude as the speaker takes his place on the facing seat.

It was felt that the larger body at Mtly Mtg should make this decision.

The Monthly Meeting was asked to suggest to various groups holding activities to clear dates with M & C & Mtly Mtg so that there would be no conflicting of programs.

We all feel quite pleased with the good attendance at Sunday Worship & the very inspiring &

12 mo. 11-1958 helpful messages given by visiting speakers

The meeting closed with silent worship
Anne Hermin, clerk.

1st mo 1958 Ministry & Counsel held 1st mo. 8th at Friends Center

The Queries were read & the Minutes of the
the meeting were approved.

Anne Hermin was re-appointed clerk of
Ministry & Counsel.

Representatives to 5th Mtg in Cambridge 1st-19
could not be named, due to the change of day
for holding same.

This month 2th Mtg will be held on Sunday
& persons attending will report at a later time
arrangements are being made for all children
present with a story & game house & visit to
Longfellow House.

Meeting concluded
Anne Hermin (Clerk)

1958

3rd month 12th 1958 Ministry + Counsel
10 members present

In devotion the clerk read an article from the Cambridge News letter, on the Inner Light by Rufus Jones.

Due to the Annual Mtg, Ministry + Counsel was not held in February, but a report was given to the Monthly Meeting Clerk for the year 1957.

Those representing Lynn at Salem Mtg were Grace P. Atkins, Anne S. Hernier, John Cann + Richard S. Gore.

Holding quarterly Meeting on Sunday was an experiment and it is hoped that future plans will be smoothed out and proper time allowed for Committee to meet.

Margorie Chase + W Carlton Jones are appointed to draw up the report of the Spiritual Condition of Lynn Meeting, to be read for approval at the next meeting.

Mrs Weatherbee gave a very fine talk on Mar 9 about her visit with Albert Sweetzer in Africa during 1957.

Dr Vaughn Shedd of the Lords Day League will speak on March 16

Meeting concluded
Anne S. Hernier, Clerk.

Ministry & Counsel held 4th mo 9-1958

An article by Rufus Jones was read, taken from pp 75 of Faith & Practice, regarding the quiet time in a meeting for worship.

The report of the state of Society or spiritual condition was read & discussed. This was approved to be sent to monthly meeting.

The meeting for worship are well attended & interesting & inspirational talks have been given by ministers & others, obtained through the special comm. under appointment.

Plans for the dedication of the new Meeting House are going forward, also a Fellowship dinner will be held on May 12.

We are expecting J. Floyd Moore for that occasion.

Meeting concluded

Annie Hurner, Clerk.

5/7/58

Ministry & Counsel held 5th mo 7, 1958.
at Phillips Ave. Lynn & present

Querer was read for consideration.

The minutes of the April meeting were read and approved.

Representative to Salem Quarterly Meeting, M & C are Richard S. Gore & Annie S. Derrin.

A letter from Stanley & Jean Potter has been read. Their concern for the morning service for worship has been given careful thought & much discussion concerning it.

As a result the minute sent them read Thus:-

at the Meeting on Ministry & Counsel held 5th mo 7-1958 at 20 Phillips Ave the following minute was made.

A letter from Stanley & Jean Potter has been read requesting a second meeting for worship to be entirely unprogrammed on First Day.

after due consideration the Meeting on Ministry & Counsel does not approve of this request.

While we appreciate your concern we do not feel that it would be in the best interest of the Meeting to hold two services at this time.

In Christian Love & Fellowship

Annie S. Derrin Clerk.

All present at the Meeting were in unity with the decision made.

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The special committee reported that Richard Heets will be with us on June 1st, and we expect to have Andrew Good later, as a candidate for part time ministry.

Annie Hemin Clerk,

6 mo. 4-58

Ministry & Counsel held at the New Meeting House 6th mo. 4th, 8 members present.

An Article entitled "Unity in Christ's Love" by Jack Kirk, was read for directions. He is a student at Earlham College & intends to enter the Ministry. Minutes of the May meeting were read & approved.

Representatives to Salem Mtly Mtg report a good attendance. This was held for the second time on First Day, May 17.

The change of time for the Meeting for Worship for the summer months was discussed and it seemed advisable to continue at the same time of 11 a.m. This to be sent to Mtly Mtg for information.

also a recommendation that we advertise in the Am Friend for 3 months. Carlton Jones will care for this matter.

Bea Atkins reported that Andrew Good finds it impossible to be with us on June 8, but will come later in the month.

We expect of W Carlton Jones serving the Mtg on 6/22 Yearly Mtg Sunday adj. to meet at the call of the Clerk - Annie Hemin

11th mo 7th mo

7th mo 2nd A called meeting of Ministry & Council was held. The committee under appointment recommended that Andrew Good serve as our Minister for the remainder of the summer into Sept. Members have been well pleased with his inspirational talks.

Ted Benfey from Pa. will occupy 20 Phillips during August.

We expect to have Perry Van Dyke with us soon for a Sunday Service.

Ann Hermer, Clerk.

8th mo 6th

Minutes of the July meeting on Ministry & Council were read & approved.

Ann Hermer read at this meeting

Representatives to Quarterly Mtg on 8th mo 16 are W. Carlton Jones, Florence Aldrich & Grace Perkins.

The Monthly Mtg is to be informed that Andrew Good has been asked to serve Lyon Meeting for the coming year, two Sundays each month beginning Sept 1st 1958 to July 1959. A letter sent to Andrew Good to this effect.

The special committee will obtain other speakers. A meeting is being planned for Aug 11 with Ted Benfey speaking on the "Relation of Science to Biblical Beliefs". The Interns will be invited of first priority served. Aug Ann Hermer clerk.

12th mo 1st
Sunday

9th mo 3rd 1957 Due to the absence of many members on this date no business was conducted.

Wm & Mary Huguier were present with a suggestion for an unprogrammed meeting at a suitable time. No action was taken.

Annie Dennis, Clerk.

10th mo 8th Ministry & Counsel
10 members present

No business was conducted at the previous meeting due to small attendance.

Ref. to Lth Mtg at Lawrence 10th mo 18 on George Kelley & Carlton Jones.

A request for membership has been received from Rita Curran. Rita was formerly a member of our Mtg & after some absence has returned to us.

We are happy to grant her request & so inform the monthly meeting.

A letter from Stanley & Jean Potter has been read in regard to the type of Sunday morning Service. Their concern is for an unprogrammed meeting or another meeting established as a second meeting within the Lth Mtg.

The members discussed this, each expressing their thoughts on the matter. Since more time was needed to consider such a suggestion no decision was reached.

The clerk was instructed to invite Stanley & Jean Potter to meet with M & C at its next meeting.

We then adjourned Annie S. Dennis
Clerk.

Ministry & Council held 11th mo. 5, 1958
12 members present.

The meeting opened with a period of silent worship, after which the minutes of the last meeting were read and one correction made.

Representatives to St. Mary in Lawrence attended with one exception.

The concern and request of Stanley & Jean Potter, who were invited to attend this meeting was considered.

Their request was for a second meeting for worship on First Day. The meeting was not in unity.

Their request was then withdrawn by Stanley & Jean.

A letter from the Y.E. was read regarding Bible Study room hour groups. No action was taken on this matter.

It was suggested that the First Christian Church be notified of the change in membership to our meeting, of Rita Curran. The clerk will notify the minister.

It was suggested that the music, usually played during the offering be eliminated, due to conflict of Church Bell in the neighboring church.

Meeting concluded

Anne Heimer, Clerk

Ministry & Council held 12 mo. 10. 1958
4 members present

This meeting was held prior to Mtg with a small attendance.

The Bible School program was reported for Dec 1st at 5 p m with a playlet by the pupils with Santa Claus & Gifts for each.

A list of speakers for Jan & Feb 1959 was presented by the special Comm.

This Comm. is to be commended for their work in securing leaders for the meeting for worship.

The matter of playing piano during the offering has been considered & left to the discretion of the pianist.

Meeting adjourned
A. S. Diermer, Clerk.

1959 1st mo 7 - 1959

The minutes of the Dec meeting were read & approved. Annie S. Diermer was re-appointed Clerk for the coming year.

Representation to Quarterly Mtg to be held on Sunday in Cambridge 1st mo, 1959 are Cora & John Cason.

A report of the work of M & C was read & accepted for the Annual report.

The matter of announcements was given consideration & those in attendance approved of Richard Gose to give same.

Meeting Concluded A. S. Diermer Clerk.

1959

Ministry & Counsel

2nd month 4 - 1959 6 present

The Minutes were read for corrections

The minutes of the Jan. mtg read & approved.

Representatives appointed to attend 2th Mtg report
all attended.

Grace Atkins & Ethel Spinney were named to draw up the Annual report of the Spiritual Condition of the Meeting.

Harving Elders sit on the Facing Seat has again claimed our attention, however Richard Gore will perform that duty & give the notices for the time being.

Franklin Pines has expressed his desire to attend Lyon Mtg & show his pictures of Mexico. He has set Mar 1st for a family night with tea at 6 p.m. & picture at 7. An offering to be taken to defray Franklin Pines' expenses & balance to go to Friends Missions. May nader as soloist.

Frances Gore, Sarah Hazelton & Ethel Spinney Grace Atkins & Anne Dennis will serve refreshment on Sunday Mar 5 the Nation wide program of 'One Great Hour of Sharing' will be participated in for the A. F. S. E.

This meeting will recommend to the Monthly Mtg that Corinne Foster be named as an additional member of M.C.

Also a concern was expressed for the lack of participation in the meeting for worship. We

2nd mo 4/1959 Cont,

want to remind Friends of their responsibility to take part as guided.

xx concluded with silent worship
Anne Hemin, Clerk.

3rd mo 11th 1969 Ministry & Counsel held 3 mo 11th 1959. 7 members present.

The minutes of the Feb. meeting were read & approved. March 1st was an enjoyable evening of fellowship & entertainment with Franklin Piner showing pictures of Mexico. He & his wife, Ruth, spent some time there for the A. F. S. C. at Friends' House. On March 8, the meeting participated in the 'One Great hour of Sharing'. An offering of 29.00 was sent to A. F. S. C. for relief work in Cuba.

The two minutes from the Feb. Mtg. were sent to Mtg. Mtg. as instructed.

Speakers for First Day have been provided until June 1st.

A Missionary program will be presented by the Bible School pupils on Mar 22nd.

Meeting adjourned after a period of meditation.

Annie S. Hemin
Clerk.

1989

Ministry & Council held 4th mo: 1st 1989
6 members present

W. Carlton Jones led in devotion reading a selection from Quaker Meditations entitled "Power for the Times"

Minutes were read & approved.

The Spiritual condition of the Meeting report was read & approved. This to be forwarded to Monthly Mtg.

Ethel Spinney is to be on the facing seat for April. Representative to Salem Stly Mtg in Amesbury on May 17 are Cora & John Carr, Marjorie Chase & Ethel Spinney.

The Children's program on Palm Sunday was quite informative, telling of Friends Missionary work, that N.E. is especially interested in, also on Easter Sunday the same group presented an Easter Song under the direction of Lewis Moody Jr.

Milton Hadley of the 5th yr Mtg will be with us on Wednesday evening Apr 8th. This is sponsored by the Peace & Social Concerns Committee. He showed pictures on Alternative Service with Don Murray as Narrator refreshments will be served.

Annex S. Derrin, Clerk.

5th mo 13, 1959

Meeting of Ministry & Counsel with 9 members present
met preceding Monthly Meeting.

A period of quiet devotion was participated in.
Minutes of previous meeting were read & approved.

A letter from Herbert Seaton of Walport, Ore. was
read, asking for a transfer of membership to the
Willamette Valley Monthly Mtg. This was granted.

Contained in his letter was a check for 10.00 which was
given to the Meeting Treas. His good wishes go out to all
in Lynn Mtg.

The Sunday Worship will remain the same during the
summer months at 11 a.m.

We approve of inviting Andrew & Diane Good to the
Anniv. dinner as a testimonial to their fellowships
with us.

A letter was read from the Yearly Mtg of Ministry & Counsel
special Comm. appointed in 1958 to consider the Friends
views on the Sacraments. After each member had
spoken to this, no definite decision or statement
was given.

Meeting concluded, Annis D. Hermin, Clerk.

June 10th 1959 6 present

Ministry & Council opened with the reading of the Minutes

Minutes of the May meeting were read & approved.
 A letter in answer to Herbert Leamans request for transfer to the Willamette Valley, Ore, was sent, with thanks for check & good wishes from the meeting.

Grace Atkins reported for the special Committee of a possibility of having a young Quaker minister for July & August.

H. Carlton Jones is to have charge of the Meeting for Worship on June 14th Holy Mtg Sunday.

The Bible School will conduct a Childrens Day program on June 14th

Meeting concluded

Anna S. Hermin Clerk

June 8 1959 Thursday & Council met with few members present.
 Excerpt from Thos. Kellys Testament of Devotion was read.
 Minutes read & approved

Glen McKee a Quaker student at Tufts College will be serving the Meeting each Sunday during July & August.
 Representation to Liberty Cong. is at Lyndon Ore.

H. Carlton Jones, Margaret Chase, Edith Moody,
 John Cann & Cora Cann

Meeting concluded

Anna S. Hermin
 Clerk

Meeting & Counsel held October 5-1959.
 11 members present

Prayers were led by Carlton Jones greeting from Psalm 68:1-5, followed by prayer.

Minutes of the previous meeting read & approved.
 The leadership for the Fall of 1959 & 1960 was discussed. Grace Atkins reported for the committee.

She read a letter from Herbert Huffman regarding his serving Syn Meeting for the coming year except at such times as his work with the A. F. S. C. would need him. This met with the approval of the members of M & C. The Mtly Mtg to be so informed of this decision.

Syn Meeting Sunday has been arranged for with a special speaker in the afternoon.

Meeting concluded

Annie S. Darnier
 Clerk.

9th mo 1959

Ministry & Council met preceding Monthly Mtg with 10 members present.

Carlton Jones opened with prayer & silent meditation. Minutes of the 8th mo were read & approved.

Representatives to Salem Mtg attended with one exception.

The Bible school will open on Sept 20 at 9.45 AM with Frances Gore as Superintendent. The adult Bible Class will meet at the same time with Greta Rose as leader.

We expect to have George Jones for our speaker on Sept 13.

Annie S. Demmer, Clerk.

10th mo 14

Ministry & Council held their meeting with 7 present. The Clerk read an article from the Friends' Journal by Rachel Cadbury on what it means to be a member of this body. Are we concerned & loving people, ready to counsel, and prepared to be understandable in times of sorrow or illness. Loneliness? We must have a soul-searching time, to be ready to help.

The previous minutes were read & approved.

Rep. to Salem Mtg by Lawrence 10 mo 18 are Carlton Jones, Annie Demmer, Grace Atkins, Frances Gore.

Abner's members claimed our attention but no action was taken. Pearl Skinner reported making 15 calls on about 8 shut-in members. This was greatly appreciated.

Meeting concluded

Annie S. Demmer, Clerk

Adms 11
1959

Ministry & Council met with 9 members present
Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Rep. to Quarterly Mtg at Laurence report all attended.

A discussion of the ringing of the bells by a nearby church claimed our attention. It has been disconcerting to both speaker & congregation. Grace Atkins was asked to inquire of someone in authority as to what could be done in that matter. The notice will be given by Herbert Huffman when he is with us.

Ralph Eubank will be asked to speak at the Nov 22^d service. He is a student at Gordon College in Beverly & had attended several Sunday Meeting for Worship.

Annie S. Hurner, Clerk

12/9 - 1959 Ministry & Council met with 6 members present, and a time of meditation.

Minutes were read & approved. The Xmas program & party of the Bible School will be held Dec 20, at 5 p.m.

We recommend to the Monthly Mtg, to purchase a wreath for the Meeting House to hang over the facing seat.

The members are united in asking Herbert Huffman to be with us at the next M & C meeting 1st mo. 1960.

We propose of asking Gertrude & Homer Lawrence & Corinne & Roland Foster to prepare an evening of song & pictures for a Sunday p.m. in March.

Members have expressed a concern that when a hymn is called for, all verses should be sung unless otherwise designated by that person.

Annie Hurner, Clerk.

1960, Ministry + Counsel held 1st mo. 6, 1960
 1st mo. 6

The queries were read at this time and considered.

Herbert Huffman was present and we appreciated his being with us.

The minutes of the Dec meeting were read and approved.

Kenneth & Bernice were re-appointed as Clerk for this body.

Report to the Mtg in Cambridge 1st mo 1st and John Cann + Cord Cann, W. Carlton Jones.

A report of the spiritual condition was to be given by John Cann.

Herbert Huffman will be in Lynn on the Mtg Sunday.

Topic for discussion at the business session will be on the value of Quarterly Meeting. Is it filling a need, or should it be held twice a year instead of four?

Clayton Moore of N. Carolina will be in Boston & has expressed a concern to speak to us, possibly on a Sunday evenings date to be undesignated.

A concern has been appointed, Grace Atkins, Carlton Jones + Edith Moody.

A concern for a weekly meeting for prayer + meditation has been considered & it was approved that such a meeting would be held from Feb through Easter. The same committee as above.

1st mo 6

1960

Helen & Hoffman proved very helpful in discussion of many items.

The subject of the children taking part in morning worship was considered.

This matter to be referred to the Rel. Ed. Committee a minute will be sent.

Meeting concluded with a quiet time
Anne S. Boring, Clerk

Feb. Mtg. was omitted due to the Council Meeting

3rd mo 9
1960

Ministry & Council held 3rd mo 9, preceding Feb. Mtg. with 5 members present.

Minutes were read & approved with one correction. Representation to City Mtg., M & C attended and reported favorably.

The Bible class for adults has proved profitable under the leadership of Greta Rose, an average of six each Sunday.

Due to the small number in attendance the meeting concluded, to meet in April at the regular time.

Anne Boring, Clerk

4th mo. 6 - 1960

Meeting on Ministry & Counsel

5 members present

Minutes of previous month were read & approved
For Devotional article were read from the Am. Friend

On Palm Sunday the Bible School will take part for the first 15 min, presenting a Program on Africa

On Easter Sunday the young people will present 2 songs.

On Good Friday, a group of young people from the Cambridge Mtg will visit us at 2 p.m. for a service of Worship then proceed to Amesbury & Lawrence. David McAllister of Coun. will be with us on Apr. 24. He will speak on the Am Indian with song & story. This is sponsored by the Kansas Missionary Society.

Annie S. Hearn, Clerk.

Ministry & Counsel held 5th mo 4, 1960
9 members present

after a period of quiet + meditation the minutes were read + approved.

Representation to Quarterly Meeting on Ministry & Counsel 5th mo 7 at Amesbury are John Macder, Annie Bernier & Grace Atkins.

A report of the Spiritual condition of the Meeting was discussed & an Frances Gore will draw up same for approval at Monthly Mtg.

The meeting was united in calling Herbert Huffman to serve us for another year from Sept 1, 1960 to Sept 1, 1961 excepting such times as he may be required for the U. F. S. C.

The childrens day program will be given at 5 p m June 5th.

Meeting adjourned
Annie Bernier clerk

5th mo 23, A specially called meeting of Ministry & Counsel was held, 5 present.

The purpose, was to read a letter from J. F. Lloyd Moore for consideration. He would be in Lynn on Sunday June 5 and would speak to us if Herbert Huffman was absent.

The clerk will write & state that the above mentioned person will be with us on that day.

Annie Bernier, clerk.

Sept. 8-1960

Meeting on Ministry & Council, 5 members present.
Carlton Jones read from a booklet full pamphlet
entitled The Church of Christians.

The minutes of Oct. 1959 read & approved, also
the minutes of the Special meeting Oct. 1959.

Representatives to Study Mtg on Ministry & Council report
all attended.

Herbert Huffman graciously accepted the invitation
to serve as Moderator for year from Sept 1, 1960 to
Sept 1, 1961.

This meeting decided to discontinue M & C for July &
August.

Representatives to Study Mtg in Oct. 1960 are
W. Carlton Jones, Duke & Atkins, Edith Moody,
Ethel Spence & Mary Thomas.

In the absence of Herbert Huffman at Study Mtg, W.
Carlton Jones was asked to serve the Sunday service
and 5-year meeting Sunday by Joe Northrup.

Herbert Huffman will be Moderator during August.

Meeting adjourned
Tom Brown
Chk.

9-14-60 Ministers & Council met 8-9th mo. 14, 1960

Presiding Monthly Meeting, 4 members present.

An article was read from the introduction to the new Sweden Discipline entitled, "We go forwardly and Minister of 6th mo. was read & approved."

Representatives to Salem Study meeting had been appointed with their expenses due to them.

A letter was read from Margaret Jones, asking for transfer from Associate to Active membership.

There was approved and the Monthly Meeting confirmed John Cann & W. Carlton Jones were appointed to confer with W. H. Foster & L. H. Foster regarding membership.

Meeting adjourned & Comm. Home Church

10/12/60 Ministers & Council met with 5 present & the Council was read Minutes of 9th mo. were read & approved.

Order of Service as suggested by Robert H. Foster was left to his discretion as needed.

Music Committee would like to have a Harmonica & Organ demonstration at the Meeting House on Nov 5 & 6.

The meeting for a program for Sat. evening.

John Cann reports no reply from W. H. Foster & L. H. Foster. Rep. to Quarterly Mtg 10th mo. 16 at Wallisby and John & Cora Cann & Isaac Lichner.

Meeting closed with prayer by Carlton Jones.

1st mo. 11
1961 Ministry & Council

The meeting of 11th mo. & 12th mo. 1960 were not held because of severe stormy weather.

On 1st mo. 11 not sufficient members were present to conduct business although those in attendance named John & Cora Carr & Violet Shinn to represent Syn. Meeting at Salem Quarterly, to be held 1st mo. 12th at Cambridge.

Meeting adjourned, Annie Dornier,
Clerk

2nd mo. 1-1961 Ministry & Council met with five members present. For devotionals a statement for life by Glenn Reeve was read from Luke Life Magazine.

Representatives to Quarterly Meeting were unable to attend.

Carlton Jones and Annie Dornier were named to draw up the report of the Spiritual condition of the Meeting.

We are united in recommending to the next Meeting, that Herbert Huffman be asked to serve us for another year from Sept 1-1962 to Sept 1-1962.

Meeting closed with meditation.

Annie Dornier, Clerk

4th month 12-1961

Ministry & Council met with 6 members present,
presiding Monthly Meeting.

The minutes were read & approved of the previous meetings.

The Spiritual Condition report was read & approved, to be presented to Monthly Meeting. Information has been received that Edith Lent a member of Durham Monthly Mtg has moved to Lynn. Carlton Jones will call on her.

A letter from Wm J. Scott of Beacon Hill Friends House was read, pertinent for classes for Religion instruction to be held if desirable for enough persons to attend. There should be a fee for such instruction.

The Clerk has been instructed to answer same none available at the present time.

Permission was given for a Proclamation from the Governor of Mass to be read setting aside the week of Apr 16-23 as Youth Temperance Week.

A minute has been sent to Monthly Meeting stating that a period of Worship be continued at that Meeting, preceding the Business Meeting as was the custom in the past years.

Meeting Adjourned

Annie Dennis, Clerk

5 May 1961 Meeting of Ministry & Council held 5th mo 3, 1961
 nine members present.

For Devotions the Surveys were read & considered
 The minutes of the April meeting were read & approved

Representation to Quarterly meeting, to be held
 in Amesbury 5th mo 20th, see Annie Bernier
 Carlton Jones & Grace P. Atkins.

A letter from the N.E. committee on Ministry &
 Council was considered. The article entitled
 "Challenge of Ministry among Friends" was read.
 Application for membership from Winford & Arthur
 Foster was accepted & Monthly meeting so
 informed

Annie S. Bernier, Clerk.

6th mo/61 Ministry & Counsel held 6th mo. 7th 1961
6 members present

The minutes of 5th mo. were read & approved.

Of the 3 Representatives appointed to Quarterly Meeting at Amesbury, one member attended. Illness prevented others. An application for active memberships from Michael Pavier was read, also from Francis & Gladys Blaney. A committee composed of Corrine Foster & Grace Attkin were appointed to call on them.

A letter was received from Herbert Huffman, who has graciously accepted our call to serve Lynn Meeting on Sundays in the coming year. He will be in Europe for 6 weeks & Franklin Pines will be with us during that time.

W. Carlton Jones will have charge of the Worship service on Yearly Meeting Sunday.

The members approved of discontinuing Ministry & Counsel during July & August except at the call of the Church.

The Children's Day program on June 11th will be presented during the last half of the worship service.

Meeting concluded
Annie Kervin, Clerk

6th mo 14, 1961

A called meeting of Ministry & Counsel with 9 members present was held. The purpose of considering the report of comm. appointed to call on Francis & Gladys Blaney & Grandson Michael Premier all of 18 Phillips Ave Lynn.

The report was very favorable and meeting approved of accepting them into membership with Lynn Friends. The Monthly Meeting to be ~~also~~ so informed.

Annie Demmer (Clerk)

Ministry & Counsel held 9th mo 13, 1961

preceding Monthly Meeting 6 members present

Selection from the Upper room on the power of Prayer was read for meditation.

Minutes of the June meeting & specially called Meeting was read and approved.

Two requests for transfer from Associate to Active membership has been received from Louis E Chase and David Spinney & accepted. The Monthly Mtg so informed.

A Committee of W. Carlton Jones & Grace Atkins to draw up a Memorial for John N. Mader, who passed away in August.

Representatives to Quarterly Mtg, to be held in Lynn 9th mo 18 are H. Pearl Skinner, Richard Gore & Annie Demmer.

Prospect of a Bible Class for Adults on Sunday was discussed and plans made for same.

Annie Demmer Clerk

10th mo. 11-1961

Ministry & Counsel met with five members present.

An Article by Lavinia Johnson, taken from the Missionary Advocate, entitled "Be Strong & Ho" was read by the Clerk.

Minutes of the Sept. meeting were read & approved. Representatives to Quarterly Mtg 9th mo report they attended.

It was decided to try 2 Quarterly Meetings in 1962 in May at Wellesley & later place to be determined.

Bible class has begun with Edna Larsen as leader and is proving interesting & helpful.

The services of Franklin Pines during Herbert Huffman's absence in Europe during August & part of Sept, were greatly appreciated & his message well received.

after a time of meditation the meeting concluded
 Anne Palmer
 Clerk.

Ministry + Counsel held 12th mo 13, 1961
5 members present

An article by Glen Rice was read entitled Worship, Need + Worth of Worship. A discussion followed. The minutes of 10th mo. were read & approved. We have again considered the concern of Edna Larson for a mid week meeting.

She will be informed of the following decision that: Sometime ago Carlton Jones was given permission to have the Meeting House open on Thursdays evenings.

Meeting concluded

Annie S. Bernier,
Clerk.

1962

1st mo 10th Ministry + Counsel met with 11 members present.

The duties of this committee were explained and the Minutes were read and considered.

The minutes of the last meeting were approved. This being the time for appointment for Clerk, Annie Bernier was asked to continue.

Herbert Huffman will be absent on Feb 4 & Franklin Pineda will be the speaker for that day. On Jan 11, at 7 p.m. a religious service was started. This was on Thursday evening.

It was approved to have the offering + notices given at the conclusion of the sermon, as had always been the custom.

Meeting concluded Annie Bernier
Clerk

1962

Ministry & Counsel held 3 mo. 7th - 1962
seven members present

For devotions an article was read entitled "My Day"
This was written by Mary Paige Ware, formerly of Tyng
Meeting

Minutes of the January meeting were read & approved.

The "Spiritual Condition" of the Meeting has been
written and passed on to the Monthly Mtg.

We are united in asking Herbert Huffman to
continue to serve Tyng Meeting from Sept, 1962 to Sept, 1963

Meeting concluded

Annie Hernier, clerk.

5th month 9th, 1962 Ministry & Counsel held with
5 members present, held preceding Monthly Meeting.

Prayer was given by Carlton Jones.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

The letter from Herbert Huffman was read &
information passed on to Monthly Meeting.

Rep. to Salem Quarterly Mtg to be held in Amesbury
May 19, 1962 are Francis & Gladys Blaney, Carlton Jones
& Annie Hernier.

Washington St Baptist Church wishes a group of their
young people to visit Tyng Meeting at a date to be
planned.

The name of George Curran has been discontinued
from our membership list as he is joining another church.

Meeting concluded

Annie Hernier, clerk

1962. Ministry & Council held 6th mo. 13-1962
 6 members present.

6th mo The selection for the day was read for devotion.
 Minutes of the May meeting were read & approved.
 All representatives to 2nd Mtg attended at
 Amherstburg, 5th mo 19th.

A group of young people from the Wash. St Baptist Church visited the meeting on May 20.

There were 25 in attendance and received information about Quakerism in answer to a question period.

A letter was read from Herbert Huffman informing us that he is leaving N. England as of Oct 1st to take up other duties with the Fine Arts Meeting.

The special committee under appointment will find someone to replace him.

The music comm. is asked to plan a dedication service for the Electric Organ. Corinne Foster is Chairman of that committee.

The members approved of discontinuing M & C for July & August except at the call of the Clerk.

Meeting concluded
 Anne Herman Clerk.

- A called meeting of Ministry & Counsel was held 7th mo. 11, 1962 with 7 members present.

The purpose of this meeting was to discuss the visitation of Rachel Hubbard, to do so in a Quaker Dialogue; on Sept 14 & 15

Frances & I requested this, and approval was given and Frances & I to plan for such a meeting.

Meeting concluded

Adrian Plummer Clerk

9/12/62 Ministry & Counsel held 9th month 12, 1962
10 members present.

Matters of the specially called meeting were read and approved. Sept 15 & 16 is the time of Quaker Dialogue each session to hold 2 hrs each.

The Committee appointed to write the Memorials for John W. Wader and Emma J. Wader presented them. They were approved and will be passed on to Monthly Meeting, recommending that copies of same be sent to Mary Wader and Mildred Wader, their two daughters.

Discussion of the ministry was our chief concern as Herbert Huffman has resigned to take up other duties of the Ten Year Ministry Board in Indiana.

Gregory Harrison, a young Friend, member of Worcester City, visited Lynn on Sept 9 and gave a very inspiring message.

We are united in calling Gregory Harrison to serve Lynn Meeting as of Nov 1st with a

9/12/68 remuneration of 25.00 each Sunday; also he will teach an Adult Bible Class. The Monthly Meeting to be so informed.

Meeting concluded with silent Meditation.

Anna Bernier, Clerk.

9/10/68 The meeting of Trustees & Council held preceding Monthly Meeting with 5 members present. Finance were read and considered. Minutes of the Sept meeting were read & approved. Dechi Huibois held three sessions of 'Snake Dialogue' on Sept 15 in the evening & two on Saturday Sept 16 at 4 and 7 p.m.

The attendance was good with each person participating.

Representatives to Salem Quarterly Meeting on Monthly & Council to be held in Cambridge on Oct 21st are John Carr and Cora Carr & Grace Gilmour.

The members agreed to take part in the Thanksgiving Week of Prayers - from Nov 18 to 25th. Leaflets to be distributed by the Clerk.

Meeting concluded

Anna Bernier, Clerk.

9/11/68 Not enough members present to hold meeting on Nov and the Nov meeting was postponed.

Representatives reported, they attended 2nd Mtg.

12/ 1963
 1963

Meeting on Ministry + Counsel held 1st month
 1963.

7 members present.

The December Meeting was cancelled because of Christmas + other activities.

A letter has been received and read regarding an invitation for the Lyons Meeting to join with the Central Congregational Universalist and Temple Beth-El churches on February 20 at the Central Congregational Church and April 21st at the Universalist Church. This was accepted and a letter will be sent to Rev. Mabler.

This is the time for the appointment of another clerk for this body. Since the present clerk has served for seven years the time has come for a change. Pearl Skinner kindly volunteered to perform this duty.

Meeting concluded -

Anne Farmer -
 Retiring Clerk.

1963 Meetings Ministry + Counsel held 2nd month
Feb. 13th at 7.25. Five present.

After a short prayer the minutes of 1st. month were read and approved.

A letter from Clerk of the Salem Quarterly Meeting, Dorothy Averill, concerning a special Meeting without business to consider a common sharing of experience with in our Monthly Meetings, as well as what it means to serve on a Meeting of Ministry + Counsel March 31st. at Lawrence. was received. This letter to be further considered at our next Meeting.

No further business we conclude.

1963 A called Meeting of Ministry + Counsel
Mar. was held 7st day March 24. to appoint representatives to the Quarterly Meeting at Lawrence March 31st.

Annie Derriner, Grace Atkins, John + Vera Cann, Clayton + Ethel Spinney, Pearl Skinner and Carlton Jones consented to attend. David Spinnery, Grace Atkins and Marjorie Chase were appointed to prepare a minute on the spiritual condition of the Meeting to be presented to the next Quarterly Meeting at Lawrence Monthly meeting.

A letter describing the arrangements for those who wish to participate in the Peace Walk to be held from Beacon Hill

1963 House to the Statue of Mary Dyer on Friday
~~April~~ April 12. was received.

A notice of a Retreat for Ministry +
 Counsel to be held at Woolman Hill
 April 26, 27, 28. was received.

Pearl Skinner Clerk. approved.

May

Meeting of Ministry + Counsel 5th month
 8th - After devotions minutes of
 last Meeting were read and approved.
 Report on Spiritual Condition of the
 Meeting was read and approved and will
 be forwarded to Monthly Meeting.

Representatives to Quarterly Meeting
 at Lawrence were chosen: - David Spinney
 Grace Atkins, Carlton Jones, Pearl Skinner
 Lawrence White a Friend from Califor-
 nia attending B. U. at present spoke to
 us May 5th.

A family at Manchester Mass. Mr. + Mrs
 Corison have been visited -

No new business, Meeting concludes.
 V. P. Skinner Sec.

1963 Lynn Friends Meeting on Ministry and
June Council held at the Meeting House 6-12-1963.
Twelve members present.

In the absence of the Clerk, W. Carlton Jones
was appointed for this Meeting.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
on Ministry and Council held in Lawrence
5th month 18th 1963. all attended with one
exception.

Requests have been received for a transfer
from Associate to Active Membership from
Leslie Chase and Richard Gore Jr. We
approve of these requests and forward
them to the Monthly Meeting.

W. Carlton Jones will bring the Message at
the Sunday Morning Service on the 23rd.
W. Carlton Jones will confer with Gregory
Harrison regarding his suggestions of a
three member visitation of our Meeting
Membership.

There being no further business we
conclude, to meet at 7 P.M. July 10, 1963.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk Pro Tem.

per. V.P.S.

1963
 Aug. Syn Meeting on Ministry & Counsel held 8-14-1963.
 Minutes of 8/12 read and approved.

Eleven Members present.

In the absence of the Clerk, W. Carlton Jones was appointed pro tem.

Pearl Skinner sent in her resignation as Clerk of this body. With regret we accept this resignation and appoint W. Carlton Jones to fill the vacancy.

A letter from Gregory Harrison was received resigning as our Minister as of Aug. 31. We approve of Gregory continuing his services on a Monthly Basis until Dec. 31, 1963.

A transfer of Membership of Ernest W. Bliss from the Unitarian Congregational Church of Troy, New Hampshire to Syn Meeting is received. We approve of this transfer and forward same to Monthly Meeting.

Grace P. Bliss has asked to be released as a Member of the Committee to secure a minister for Sunday morning Services. Her request is granted and we appoint David C. Spinney on this Committee.

The suggestion of Gregory Harrison concerning a three Member Visitation of the Meetings Membership has been given further consideration. No further business appearing we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
 Clerk.

1963
Sept

The regular Meeting on Ministers and
Council held at the Meeting House
Sept. 11, 1963.

8 members present.

A period of devotion was led by
Ethel Spinney.

Minutes of the last Meeting were read
and approved with one correction.

Ethel Spinney's Concern regarding the
Sunday Morning Service has claimed
our consideration, especially in regard
to Music.

We pass on this concern to the
Music Committee.

Visitation and our Membership List were
brought to our attention for further
action.

No further business appearing we
conclude to meet the 1st. Wednesday in
October at 7.45 P. M.

W. Carlton Jones

Clerk

1963
Oct.

At a Meeting of Ministry and Council of Lynn Meeting held Oct 2, 1963, three members present.

The Clerk led in Devotions at which time the Ten Commandments were brought to our attention for consideration.

Minutes of the last Meeting were read and approved.

A joint Meeting with the Bethel A. M. E. Church was suggested. To this thought was given to our Membership List.

Representatives were appointed to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Council held again Oct. 19, were June S. Loomis, W. Earl Skinner and W. L. Turner Jones.

Concluded to meet before the Monthly Meeting in November.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk

1963
Nov.

Ligon Monthly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held at the Meeting House Nov. 13, 1963. Four members present. Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

The Clerk led in Devotions.

Consideration was given to securing a Minister after Jan 1, 1964.

A suggestion was made that a full-time Minister might be used in conjunction with Lawrence Meeting.

All Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held in Ligon Oct. 19. Attended.

Concluded to meet before Monthly Meeting in December.

M. Carlton Jones

Clerk

1963
Dec Lygon Monthly Meeting on Ministry and
Council held at the Meeting House Dec. 11, 1963
12 members present.

After a Devotional period the Minutes of the
last Meeting were read and approved.
Larry White preached for us Sunday Dec 8th
and may be available for the month of
January.

No action taken regarding Lawrence and
Lygon Meetings uniting in securing a
minister.

Sunday Nov. 3, Richard Bear of Earlham
was at our Meeting and brought a very
helpful message.

No further business we conclude to meet
before the January Monthly Meeting.

W. Carlton Jones
clerk

1964
January

Lynn Monthly Meeting of Ministry and Counsel held at the Meeting House Jan. 8, 1964
Six members present.

W. Carlton Jones was appointed as Clerk.
Devotions were led by Pearl Skinner.

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

Larry White has been contacted and will be at our Morning Meeting Sundays during January.

Pearl Skinner will get in touch with Edna Larsen regarding teaching the Adult Bible Class.

No further business appearing we conclude to meet the Wednesday before Monthly Meeting in February.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk

Feb. Meeting of Ministry and Counsel of Lynn
1964 Monthly Meeting held at the Meeting House
on the 5th - 1964.

Nine members present.

Devotions were led by the Clerk who reminded us of the Strength and Power we have from God to accomplish His Work.

Minutes of January Meeting read and approved. A report of this Group for the year 1963 was presented and approved.

Larry White gave the Message at our Sunday Morning Service during January.

Edna Larsen has consented to teach an Adult Bible Class on Sundays, at 10 A. M.

James Howard, his wife and two children were present at the Sunday Morning Service February 2nd. James brought a very helpful Message. They will be with us during February except the 9th when John Cann will speak to us. We approve having the Organ played a few minutes before the Morning Service to eliminate the confusion which seems to be rather disturbing before the Service begins.

Annie Wernier will investigate the possibility of having a Special Speaker for Sunday Evening either March 8th or 15th. Topic to be decided upon.

No further business. we concluded - W. Carlton Jones Clerk

1964
- March At a Meeting of Ministers and Synseer held at the Meeting House March 4, 1964. Eleven members were present.

Devotions were led by the Clerk.
Minutes of the February Meeting were read and approved.
We were happy to have James E. Howard and family with us at the Morning Service Feb. 2 - 23 and Mar. 15.

On February 9 John Cann brought a fine message at the morning Service.

No Meeting was held on February 16 because of a heavy snow-storm.

Cora Cann and Annie Dornier will make preparations for a Tea and Social Hour on March 15, to be followed by a talk by George Selleck, on the "Lumber Message".

A request for active Membership in the Lynn Meeting has been received from Hector Lorette. After due consideration we recommend to the ^{meeting} Meeting that this request be granted.

James E. Howard informs us that he will serve as our Minister until June 1st. \$20.00 a week will be paid him.

The Clerk will notify James of the pleasure we have in learning of his decision to help in the work and Ministry of Lynn Meeting. The Clerk will write Larry White that provision has been made for Sunday Morning Services until June 13.

The playing of the Organ before the Worship Service on Sunday mornings seems to be much appreciated.

Notice of the Observance of the 300th anniversary of the establishment of a Friends Meeting in Boston to be held in Cambridge Apr. 12th was received.

No further business appearing we conclude

H. Carlton Jones - Clerk.

April 1964 - Syn Meeting of Ministry and Counsel held at the Meeting House April 8. Six members present. John H. Cann led in the devotions, in which Query Five was considered.

Minutes of the last Meeting were read and approved with one correction.

Requests have been received for Associate Membership from the parents of Kimberly Lorette and Richard Edward Mense. We recommend to the Monthly Meeting that these requests be granted.

Sunday Evening March 15 about forty gathered for a Social Hour which was followed by a talk given by George Sellick of Cambridge Meeting on "The Quaker Message". The occasion was very pleasant and informative.

At the close of the Easter Service on March 29 Clayton W. Spinney as Clerk of

1964

Wilson the Monthly Meeting welcomed Hector Lorette into active Membership with the Lynn Meeting.

A Communication from the Clerk of the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel is received regarding the functions of the Meeting of Ministry and Counsel and informing that special consideration of this matter will be given at the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel to be held at Millisley in May. It was suggested that our Representatives come prepared to participate in an open discussion. No definite action was taken at this time, but the matter will be further considered at our next Meeting.

Richard S. Jore and H. Carlton Jones were appointed to prepare a report on the Spiritual Condition of Lynn Meeting and present same to our next Meeting.

The arranging for a Luncheon and Reception to the Howards after the Worship Service Sunday, April 26, was referred to the Social Committee of Monthly Meeting.

With no further business appearing we conclude to meet the first Wednesday (the 6th) of May.

H. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

1964

May: Lynn Meeting on Ministry and Counsel
held at the Meeting House, May 6, 1964.

Eleven members present.

Reading of the General Inquiries by the Clerk brought again the consideration of our individual responsibility and our high calling of God in Christ Jesus.

Minutes of the April Meeting were read and approved.

No one anticipating attending the Quarterly Meeting in Wellesley on Sunday the 17th no Representatives were appointed.

A concern regarding the existing condition in the Amesbury Meeting has been presented. We recommend to the Monthly Meeting that we accept the discontinued Members of Amesbury Meeting and that they be invited to apply for membership in the Lynn Meeting, if they so desire.

James E. Howard will continue to minister to us on Sundays until June 1st 1965 and he will receive \$25.00 per week.

The informal reception given the Howards at the close of the Morning Meeting April 26 was a very pleasant occasion, well attended.

With no further business we conclude

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk

1964
June

June Meeting on Ministry and Counsel
held at the Meeting House, June 10, 1964

Seven members present.

The 24th Psalm was read for our Meditation and inspiration. "The earth is the Lord's and the fulness thereof, the World and they that dwell therein".

Minutes of the May Meeting read and approved.

No Representatives were at the Quarterly Meeting at Wellesley.

We approve of omitting Meetings of Ministry and Counsel in July and August.

The next Quarterly Meeting will be held Sunday, Oct. 14 at Amesbury.

At eight o'clock we concluded to meet Sept. 21 or on call of the Clerk.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk

1964
Sept

Lynn Meeting of Ministry and Counsel held at the home of Florence Aldrich Sept 16, 1964. Sixteen present.

For our Devotional Period the Clerk read a portion of the General Queries of the Proposed New Discipline, having to do with the duties of the Meeting on Ministry and Counsel.

Minutes of the June Meeting were read and approved.

We appoint Richard S. Gore, Frances T. Gore and Annie S. Dernier as our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel to be held at Amesbury, Sunday Oct. 4, at 10 o'clock.

The problems of Sunday School were discussed at length. James Howard has consented to give sometime in calling on different ones Members and friends of the Meeting and Sunday School. John Cunn will be asked to assist James.

Frances Gore will furnish a list of children who are not now attending elsewhere, compiled from a list used in the Released Time Bible School, conducted by Lynn Council of Churches.

Regular Sessions of the Sunday School will open Sunday September 20th at 9:45. It was suggested we have the Meeting House open by 9:30 Sunday mornings. The need of more personal Visitation was emphasized.

Sept. 25. Meeting Con.
 We approve having a Farewell Meeting
 at the Meeting House on Friday Eve.
 Sept. 25. for the James Toothakers who are
 soon to leave for Indiana.

An invitation to Friends House in
 Boston on Sunday Sept. 27 at 4 o'clock
 was received.

We recommend that John Gann assist others
 in the selection of a proper site for
 the Friends Meeting House in Frammingham.

Concerns were expressed and considered
 regarding more participation being
 given our young People in Morning
 Meeting and Meetings for Business.
 November 1st was suggested as a
 Remembrance Meeting and for contacting
 those who at one time had been attend
 ants at Lynn Meeting.

Annie Derrier and John Gann were asked
 to go over our Membership List with
 James Howard with a view of Revising
 it.

There being no further business we
 conclude.

H. Carlton Jones
 Clerk

1904.
Oct.

Union Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held
at the Meeting House, Wednesday Oct. 14.
at 7 P.M.

Four members present.
Extracts from an Article in Quaker Life
written by Rachel Osborne concerning the
purpose of Ministry + Counsel were read
by the Clerk in our devotional period.
Minutes of the September Meeting read
and approved.

Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
of Ministers and Counsel held in Amesbury
all attended.

Our Meeting was represented at the
Friends House in Boston on the 27th
by 6 members.

A very pleasant time was enjoyed at the
Farewell Meeting with James & Anna Southaker.
Sunday School was held on Sept. 20th.

We approve having a Special Meeting
at an early date at which an effort
will be made to have as many as
possible of former Members and Friends
in attendance.

We recommend to the Monthly Meeting
that a "cut" of the Meeting House be
made to be used on circulars or ma-
terials for use in advertising our
Meeting and its activities.

Meeting concluded at 8 P.M.

W. Carlton Jones Clerk

1964
Nov. Synod Meeting of Ministry and Counsel
held at the Meeting House Nov. 4, 1964.

Five members present.
After a Devotional Period the Minutes
of the Oct. Meeting were read and
approved.

Consideration was given to what can
be done to further the best interests
of the Meeting, but no definite action
was taken.

Meeting concluded 8. P. M.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk

1964.
Dec.

Lynn Meeting on Ministry and Counsel
held at the Meeting House Dec. 9, 1964.

Five Members present.

The Devotions were led by Anne Dorney
bringing to us a greater sense of the
Reverization and Thourness of God.
Minutes of the Nov. Meeting read and
approved.

On Sunday afternoon at 6.30 a
Tea and Social Hour will be follow-
ed by a Talk given by Mrs. Weatherbee
about the Holy Land illustrated
with pictures taken there.

Plans are made for a Christmas
Party for Adults Saturday evening
the 19th.

Sunday the 20th at 6 P.M. the
Children of the Sunday School will
present a Christmas Program.

Meeting concluded 8 P.M.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk

1965. Synn Meeting of Ministry and Counsel held
 Jan 13. at the Meeting House Dec. 13, 1965.

Five Members present.

Devotional period led by reading Inquiries.
 Minutes of last Meeting read and approved.
 The Christmas Party was well attended and
 enjoyed, also the Christmas Program by
 the Sunday School.

The evening of Dec 13 with Mrs Wetherbee
 was also a very pleasant occasion.

Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting on
 Ministry and Counsel to be held in
 Cambridge Feb. 27. are

Richard Jore Frances Jore,
 Paul Skinner and W. Carlton Jones

W. Carlton Jones
 Clerk

1965.
April 14.

Lynn Monthly Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at the Meeting House Apr.
14, 1965. ~~Seven~~ members present.
also James Howard
Pearl Skinner read from the 140th Psalm
for devotions.

Minutes of Jan 13. Meeting read and
approved.

Because of illness no Meeting was held
in February and it was omitted in
March because of the Annual Roll Call
Supper.

James Howard will be away on Sunday Apr.
18 and John Egan will attend our
Meeting and bring a Message.

Consideration was given to having the
children and young people participate
more in the Services and Activities
of the Meeting.

The Membership and especially the absent
and non-attenders again claimed our
consideration, and will be further considered
at our next Meeting.

Evel Spinney and Annie S. Dornier were appointed
to present a report to our next Meeting on the
Spiritual condition of our Meeting.

After a few moments of Silence we conclude

W. L. Allen Jones
clerk.

1915
May 12
Lynn Meeting Minister and Counsel held at
Meeting House May 12, Eight members
present.

For the Devotions special Bible verses
were given by different ones.

Minutes of last Meeting read and approved.
In the absence of James Howard, John Evan
who is a student at North Eastern Univer-
sity of the Philadelphia Meeting, ^{and a member} brought us
a very helpful message April 18.

Our Memberships list has been considered

The report of the Spiritual Condition of
Lynn Meeting has been prepared and
approved and we forward it to the
Monthly Meeting.

James L. Ermer, Pearl Skinner, Gertrude
Lawrence and W. Carlton Jones expect to
attend the Quarterly Meeting on Minister
and Counsel held in Lawrence May 15.

On Saturday May 15, Eugene Coffin
from Richmond Ind. showed pictures
and gave a very interesting talk about
the work in Africa.

After a silent period the Meeting con-
cluded.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk

1965
June 9.

Lynn Monthly Meeting of Ministry and Council held at the Meeting House June 9, 1965 Eight members present.

During the Devotional Period selections taken from "Quaker Life" regarding our Christian Heritage were read. Several expressed their feelings regarding our Christian Heritage and what it means to us.

Minutes of the May Meeting read and approved.

Those attending the Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Council in Lawrence May 18. were Ansie S. Dennis, V. Pearl Skinner Gertrude Lawrence M. Carlton Jones.

We approve omitting the Meeting on Ministry and Council during July and August, subject to call of the Clerk.

M. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

1965
S. St.

June Monthly Meeting on Minutes, and
Council held at the Mt. Zion House Sept. 8, 1965.
Twelve members present.

The Clerk led in Devotions, emphasizing
the value of music in our Worship Service.
Minutes of June Meeting read and approved.
Since our last Meeting was held the following
have been at our Sunday Morning Worship
Service and brought in offering messages.

July 15. Lee H. Hildebrand - "Agnes"

July 25. Mary Van Dyke

Aug. 1. Thomas Lee Brown

Sept. 5. W. Carlton Jones

Sunday School will resume Oct. 3.

We approve of inviting the
Barrington College Glee Team for Sunday
afternoon Sept. 26, or Oct. 3.

The Meeting concluded with a few moments of
silence.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk

1965
 Oct. Lynn Monthly Meeting on Ministry
 and Counsel held at the meeting
 house Oct. 13. 1965.
 11 members present.

Ethel S. Spinney led in the Devotions
 based on Faith.

Sunday afternoon Sept. 26. a
 group of four students from
 Barnington College, in Providence, R.I.
 were entertained at a 5 o'clock social
 hour. and at 7 o'clock they told of
 their work in Mexico, Santos-
 Domingo and Arizona, showing
 pictures taken in these places.
 An offering of \$45.85. was given
 for this group.

Sunday Oct. 3. the Sunday School
 was resumed with Virginia Meuse
 as Supt.

Sunday Oct. 10. James Howard was
 away and Judy, his wife, brought
 a very helpful message in his place.

We appoint Annie S. Derrier,
 Corrine E. Foster and Ethel S. Spinney
 our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting

1965

Oct Cont. to be held in Lynn Saturday, Oct. 16th.

We are informed of a Program sponsored by the United Society of Friends Women to be given Thursday evening at 8 o'clock Thursday Oct. 21 featuring ~~on~~ a talk on "A Flight to South America" by Stewart L. Cowan, illustrated with pictures.

Gertude H. Lawrence will draft a letter to be sent to members of Lynn Meeting who are not now attending or showing any interest in it. She to present such draft at our next meeting.

A Meeting is being arranged for Sunday Oct. 24. at 7.30 P.M. for the benefit of the Local Office of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

We approve of the purchase of Bookmarks to be used for Thanks giving and Christmas seasons. These will be purchased by Herman J. Lawrence.

No further Business appearing we conclude to meet in November.

W. Carlton Jones, Clerk.

Apr. 1965

Lynn Monthly Meeting on Ministry and
Counsel held at the Meeting House Nov. 10, 1965

5 Members present.

The clerk led in the Devotions using a
part of the 37th Psalm, Why Should we
Fret so much?

Minutes of the October Meeting read
and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
held in Lynn Oct. 16, all attended.

Thursday, Oct. 21, the Illustrated Talk
on a Flight to South America by
Stewart L. Cowan, was well attended
and enjoyed.

On Sunday evening Oct. 24th a program
for the benefit of the Local Office of the
National Association for the Advancement
of Colored People, had a good attendance.
A suggestion was made that we ~~that~~
give Mary Ellen Goodwin for the part
she and her husband had in the
program. This suggestion we passed
to the monthly meeting.

Nov/1965
CONT. The draft of a letter to be sent to non attending members, was presented by Esthela Lawrence and will be given further consideration.

The Book marks have been ordered.

Information was given of the meeting of the United Society of Friends Women on Wednesday evening Nov. 17. at 7.45 Annual Thank Offering Service. Speaker Lois Brown. President of New Eng. Yearly Meeting Society.

A Thanksgiving Service will be held at 11.30. Thanksgiving Day. followed by a dinner at 1 o'clock.

The Church Fair is scheduled for Friday Dec 3 from 2 to 8 P.M.

We approve of an offering being taken at the Morning Service Nov. 21, for the Friends United Meeting.

At 8 o'clock the meeting concluded.

W. Carlton Jones
Clark

Dec. 1965

Lynn Monthly Meeting on
Ministry and Counsel held at the
Meeting House December 8, 1965—
Five members present.

Pearl Skinner led in the Devotions
emphasizing the value of Salt.

Minutes of the November Meeting were
read and approved.

The Book Marks have been received
and distributed.

The Thank Offering Meeting of the Society
of Friends Women was a very interesting
occasion. Lois Brown, President of the
New England Society, addressed the Group.

The Thanksgiving Service Nov. 26,
followed by a dinner was enjoyed
by all who attended.

The Christmas Fair and Supper held
Dec. 3rd was a great success.

The draft of a letter to be sent to
non-attending members has been
given further consideration.

Dec. 1965 Cont. A Christmas Program will
be given by the Sunday School
Sunday the 19th at five o'clock.

There being no further business
we conclude.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

1966
Jan. - Lym Monthly Meeting on Ministry and
Council held at the Meeting House Jan. 12, 1966
10 members present.

The Clerk led in the Devotions

Minutes of the December Meeting read and
Approved.

The Service and Dinner on Thanksgiving Day
were so successful a desire has been
expressed ~~that the~~ same may be carried out
in 1966.

Lalayan W. Spinney, John L. Cann and
Barinne C. Foster are appointed a Committee
to go over our Membership List with the
view in mind of its revision.

A Christmas Program was given by the Sunday
School, Sunday Dec. 19 at five o'clock.

Richard and Frances Gore are appointed as our
Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting at Williston.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk

Feb. 1966

Legum Monthly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel. Held at the Meeting House Feb. 9. 1966.

7 members present.

The Clerk led in the Devotions
Minutes of the January Meeting were read and approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting at Willesley Attended.

The Annual Report to the Monthly Meeting was read and approved.

A report concerning our Membership List was presented and will be given further consideration.

The Dedication of our new Hymnals given by Mary Mader and Mildred Doe in memory of their father and mother, John and Emma Mader will take place Sunday Feb. 20. 1966.

At 8 o'clock the meeting concluded.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk

April 1966 Lynn Monthly Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held at the Meeting House April 13, 1966.

7 members present.

Ernie J. Dornier read the first four of General Queries for our Devotional Consideration.

Because of our Annual Roll Ball and Supper no meeting of Ministry and Counsel was held in March.

The new Hymnals were dedicated February 20, 1966 at the Worship Service.

We deeply appreciate the thoughtfulness of Mary Mader and Mildred Doe in presenting these Hymnals to Lynn Meeting.

The Service on Easter Morning was well attended several visitors being present.

James Howard will be away for two Sundays, April 17, 24. George Sellick will be the guest speaker for both days.

April 1966 We unite in extending a call to
 Cont. James Howard for another year.

Quarterly Meeting will be held in
 Amesbury. Sunday May 15.

The following names are forwarded
 to the Monthly Meeting for its consideration
 regarding their Membership in
 Lynn Monthly Meeting.

Laura L. Cole	Francis Paige
Lewis R. Murdy Jr.	Carol Paige
Jessie Pollard	Lawrence B. Chase
Roy Curran	

At 8 o'clock the Meeting Concluded

W. Carlton Jones Clerk

1966
May 11

Lynn Monthly Meeting on
Ministry and Counsel held at the
Meeting House May 11, 1966.

7 members present.

The 46th Psalm was read by the clerk
for our Devotional thinking.

Minutes of the April Meeting were
read and approved.

We appoint Herman and Gertrude
Lawrence our Representatives to the
Quarterly Meeting to be held in
Amesbury Sunday May 15.

James Howard informs that he
will continue as our Minister
under the present arrangements
without a definite commitment.

Sunday School will close on June 6th
for the summer.

A report on the Spiritual Condition
of Lynn Meeting has been prepared
and sent to Monthly Meeting.

1966
May.

Gertrude Lawrence presented for our consideration and action a Book about the Quakers, to be used in a Study Group which might be formed in our Meeting.

The United Society of Friends Women are sponsoring the showing of Pictures taken in Spain and Portugal, by Stewart Cowan, on Thursday evening May 19, at 8 o'clock. Donations 50 cent.

We approve of observing Sunday May 22 as Silent Sunday. Each one bring one.

The meeting concluded with
The Lords Prayer.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

1966

June

Lynn Monthly Meeting in Ministry and
Course held at the Meeting House Wednesday
June 8, 1966.

Nine Members present.

Arnie S. Derner used the 11th chapter of
Leviticus for our Devotions. The subject
being "Faith".

Our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
in Amesbury attended and reported a good
attendance. The Peace Question was discus-
sed at some length.

Sunday School closed on the 5th with
the presentation of plants to the children.
A pleasant time and a good number at-
tended the showing of the Spain, Portugal
Pictures on May 19th shown by Jean Potter.

We approve omitting this Meeting dur-
ing July and August, except upon the
call of the Clerk.

Clayton Spinney will try to place the old
hymnals.

Concluded at eight o'clock.

H. Carlton Jones
Clerk

1966.

Sept. At the regular Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held at the Meeting House Sept. 14.
Nine members present.

Carlton Jones read excerpts from an address by Glenn A. Reece, on "Power Seeking a Channel - 'We have not the power, nor can we create it, but we have the glorious privilege of becoming its channel'". For devotions.
No Meetings held during July and August.
All regular Meetings for Wordship have been held during those months with Franklin Pines, Joel Magnida and Perry Van Dyke as guest speakers.

Our Bible School situation has been and still is having our serious consideration.

Perry Van Dyke has taken the old Hymnals for use in his work with Prisoners.

Efforts will be made to have George Sellick tell us about his stay in Finland the past summer some Sunday eve. in October.

The Meeting closed with prayer by James Howard.

A. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

1966
Oct. Lynn Monthly Meeting on
Ministry and Counsel held at
the Meeting House Wednesday
Oct. 12. 1966 at 7 P.M.

Nine Members present.

The Clerk led in the Devotions.

Minutes of the September Meeting
read and approved.

Our Bible School opened again
Sunday Sept. 9.

George and Florence Sellick
spoke to us Sunday evening Oct. 9
following a social hour at the
Meeting House, telling of their
work in Finland and showing
pictures.

A very pleasant Occasion.

We have received from James
Howard his resignation as
our Minister effective Dec. 1. 1966.

It is with deep regret that we
accept for he and his family
have been a great help and Inspiration
to Lynn Meeting.

1966

Oct Conts

We appoint Frances T. Gore,
Annie S. Dernier and Gertrude
H. Lawrence a committee to secure
another Minister.

Herman J. Lawrence, Gertrude H. Lawrence
and V. Pearl Skinner are appointed as
our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting
to be held in Acton on the 16th.

The Meeting closed with a Silent Praise

St. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

Nov. 1966 Lynn Meeting of Ministry and Council
held at the Meeting House Wednesday Nov. 9, 1966.
12 members present.

Annie S. Dernier led in the Devotions, stressing
Faith - Love and Christ's Living Presence.

Minutes of the October Meeting read and
approved.

Our Representatives to the Quarterly
Meeting held at Acton Oct. 16. all
Attended.

1966
Nov. 6 cont.

Progress is being made on securing another Minister.

Forming a Special Group to Study the Book on Quakerism, entitled "A view from the Back Benches" was given consideration.

Having a family Sunday and also a Special Project to consider at our Meetings of Ministry and Counsel as well as at Monthly Meetings was suggested.

No further Business appearing the Meeting Concluded.

W. Barton Jones
Clerk

1966
Dec. Lynn Monthly Meeting on
Ministry and Counsel. Held at the
Meeting House Dec. 14, 1966.
7 members present.

Devotions were led by the Clerk:

Minutes of the November Meeting
read and approved.

The Committee to secure a Minister
Report that Robert Campbell, a retired
minister from Marblehead, will
preach for us Sunday Nov. 27, and
that Donald Bishop, a student at
B.U. will be our Minister for three
Sundays Dec. 4-11-18.

Sunday evening Dec. 11. Seymour J.
Lawrence gave a display ^{and talk} of Old and
New Bibles which was very interesting
and helpful.

At 8 o'clock the Meeting concluded
with a period of Silence.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

1967
Jan.

Lynn Monthly Meeting on
Ministry and Counsel held at the
Meeting House January 11, 1967.
11 Members present.

Herman Lawrence led in the
Devotions and called our
attention to the Article in the
Quaker Life of Jan. 1967. by
E. Eugene Coffin, on Communication
sharing our experiences, information
and insight.

Minutes of the December Meeting
read and approved.

Robert Campbell will be our
Minister until June 30, 1967.
We welcome him to our Meeting tonight.

Donald Bishop who is attending
Boston University was our Minister
Dec. 4-11 and 18.

Gertude Lawrence will arrange
for our participation in the Chain
Prayer as outlined in Quaker Life
by E. Eugene Coffin.

1967

Jan
Cont.

We appoint Gertrude and Herman Lawrence, Ethel and Clayton Spruay and Annie S. Dieries, our Representatives to the Quarterly Meeting to be held in Cambridge on Jan. 27, 1967.

This is the time for the appointment of a new Clerk and will be considered at our next meeting.

At 8 o'clock we concluded.

W. Carlton Jones
Clerk.

1967

Feb

Syn. Meeting on Ministry and Counsel held at the Meeting House 2nd mo 8th 1967, 8th Present.

A devotional period was led by W. Carlton Jones.

W. Carlton Jones has expressed his desire to be relieved of his duties as Clerk of Ministry and Counsel. We on Ministry and Counsel feel that a special minute of thanks and appreciation is due him for his many years as Clerk and devotional leader. We know that he will continue to serve us as the way may open and that he will always be a friend, both with a small "f" as well as a capital "F".

1967
Feb.
Cont

The meeting approved of Hermon J. Lawrence to be clerk for the coming year.

We are reminded by the Yearly Meeting Office to prepare our State of Society report so that it may be ready for our Spring Quarterly Meeting. Annie S. Derner and Gertrude H. Lawrence are appointed to prepare this report.

A communication from the Yearly Meeting Committee of Meetings and Church Extension has been read. They wish to call upon local meetings with a view toward an exchange of ideas and mutual aid to our meeting and the Yearly Meeting. The Clerk will answer this letter suggesting that the committee representatives meet with us on either March 12 or 19, for our morning worship, followed by a lunch and conference with them.

With no further business appearing, we adjourn, purposing to meet in April at the appointed time.

Hermon J. Lawrence
Clerk.

1967
April Lynn Monthly Meeting on Ministry and
Council held at the Meeting House April 12, 1967

The minutes of the meeting held in February
have been read and approved.

Due to the Annual Meeting held in March,
no meeting is usually held in March.

The Clerk has prepared a report on the special
meeting held with Friends from the Yearly Meeting
Committee on Meeting and Extension held on
March 19th I

The special meeting with the Meeting and Extension Committee of the
Yearly Meeting called for March 19th was very well attended, with 19 local
Friends and 3 visiting Friends present. It is always difficult to
evaluate a meeting such as this, due to the very many items and thoughts
expressed by many people. However, I will state some of my impressions
that I noted. One of the early statements that impressed me was "that
Friends are vines and branches", further comment lead to the idea that Friends
should develop caring and sharing. This was meant to be something in
addition to the work of the AFSC, making it more personal in our daily
lives.

I was very much interested in the idea that we should "build as
architects of life", making our lives to become a purpose in the Society
of Friends. So many are members of the Meeting, but only members of
"friends", and I have used the small "F" in this case.

We should develop meditation periods and prayer periods even to the
extent of having the Meeting House open for specific times each day
for this purpose.

Visiting members of the M and Ex.Comm. present:

Francis Wheeler

Philip Cornell

Elizabeth Hopson

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The Annual Report on the Spiritual Condition of the Meeting has been read and approved. This report will be forwarded to the Monthly Meeting for its approval before being sent on to the Quarterly Meeting.

March 8, 1967

Spiritual report for 1966:

Under the guidance of our pastor, James Howard, our meetings for worship have consistently maintained a high level of spiritual life, although the attendance is small. Participation by members from the body of the meeting is encouraged.

Regular sessions of our Bible School have been continued with the help of Judith Howard. Our financial support, as well as material help, has been maintained for the AFSC clothing work, and for the missionary work sponsored by the United Society of Friends Women in this, and foreign, countries.

We have cooperated with the local Council of Churches, the Council of Church Women, and the National Asso. for the Advancement of Colored people.

We are deeply concerned with the future of the Society of Friends in our community, as well as in the Salem Quarterly Meeting.

FOR THE LYNN MEETING

Annie S. Dernier
Gertrude Lawrence

are urged to remain with the meeting

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Cont Council in regard to the conduct of
the Meetings for Worship. There they will
be considered and Dr Campbell so advised
of the changes desired.

We were very happy to welcome a
large group of young people to our Morning
Worship on April 9th. This group, a
Sunday School class from the Universalist-
Unitarian Church, studies various religions
and during the year visits several, including
the Roman Catholic and Hebrew services.

With no further business, we
conclude to meet at the appointed time
next month.

Hermon J. Lawrence
Clerk.

1967
May Syn. Monthly Meeting on Ministry
and Council held at the Meeting House May 10.

The minutes of the April meeting have
been read and approved.

Representatives to Quarterly Meeting on
Ministry and Council to be held at Lawrence
on May 20 are, Annie S. Pernier, Frances
S. Gove, Hermon J. Lawrence and Gertrude H. Lawrence.

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Cont The Clerk reported on his conference with Dr. Campbell. He is willing to remain as our Pastor until June 30, 1968. Effort has been made to smooth out one or two rough spots in the conduct of our Morning Meeting.

We have heard a report on recommendations in regard to future conduct of our Quarterly Meeting sessions. This will be considered at the coming Quarterly Meeting sessions. No action is required by us at this time.

We have considered the advisability of having Leaflets or Tracts for distribution in the lobby or perhaps sent to members and friends. The Clerk will secure samples and prices from various sources.

With no further business appearing, we conclude to meet next at the appointed time in June.

Herman J. Lawrence
Clerk

1967
June

Lynn Meeting on Ministry and Council
held at the Meeting House June 14, 1967

The minutes of the meeting held in
May have been read and approved.

It was reported that the recent Quarterly
Meeting on Ministry and Council was very
unsatisfactory in several ways.

Tentative plans were presented for
future Quarterly Meeting. Tentative dates
are Oct 1, 1967 and in January and May 1968.

It is approved that meetings of
Ministry and Council will not be held
during July and August ~~except~~ except at
the call of the Clerk.

The suggestion has been made that
the Meeting for Worship be discontinued
during August. This suggestion is not
approved.

Dr. Campbell has been informed
us that he will be away on seven
Sundays during the summer. The
following committee will serve for the
summer to supply speakers when Dr.
Campbell is away, Frances Dove and
Gertrude Lawrence. It is approved that
\$20.00 be paid for speakers.

With no further business appearing,
we conclude proposing to meet next
at the appointed time in September.

Hermon J. Lawrence
Clerk.

1967

Sept

Lynn Monthly Meeting on Ministry and Council
 Held at the Meeting House, Sept 13, 1967 7 Present.

The first 3 Queries for Ministry and Council have been read.

The minutes of the meeting held in June have been read and approved.

During the summer on Sunday when Dr Campbell has been away, the committee appointed to arrange for speakers had the following visitors; Edwin Hinshaw, David Knowlton, Frances Brown, Elmer Brown and James Howard. On other Sundays, Hermon Lawrence of Ministry and Council led the Morning Worship.

At the end of the Morning Meeting on Sept 10, Dr. Campbell expressed his desire to terminate his service to us on Sept 30. The Meeting expressed its appreciation to Dr Campbell for his service to us since coming to us last fall.

Frances Gore and Gertrude Lawrence are appointed to find speakers for our Sunday Morning Services. The Committee will also check with Frances Brown and others for long term work.

The possibility of uniting with another local church during the summer has been considered.

The club is authorized to proceed with his plan for the use of pamphlets for

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distribution to members and visitors. The Clerk will present the plan to the Monthly Meeting for its approval.

With no further business appearing, we conclude, to meet at the appointed time in October.

Harmon J Lawrence
Clerk.

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October

Lynn Meeting on Ministry and Counsel
held at the Meeting House Oct. 11, 1967

The minutes of the meeting held last month have been read and approved.

Due to the special program at Quarterly Meeting in October, no representatives are appointed for Ministry and Counsel. However all members are urged to attend this session. The topic will be, in general, "Membership".

Plans are being considered for a six weeks Bible Study program in the Spring. Elmer Brown of the Cambridge Meeting suggests that possibly we could unite with Cambridge, Lynn and Lawrence having two sessions at each meeting. It was approved for further consideration.

Several contacts have been made regarding speakers for Morning Worship. Long term possibilities are also being contacted.

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With no further business appearing, we conclude, purposing to meet next in November, at the appointed time.

Thermon Lawrence
Clerk

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November
Lynn Meeting on Ministry and Council held at the meeting house Nov. 8, 1967

The minutes of the meeting held in October have been read and approved.

Friends who attended Quarterly Meeting last month report that in general it was a very fine meeting. About 100 were in attendance including a large number of Juniors and Young people.

There is nothing further to report on the Bible Class proposed for this spring.

Louis Montellor is to be with us on Nov. 26 for Morning Meeting and will show us a film on Quakerism.

The meeting is united in extending an invitation to Alon Kelp to be our Speaker on Sunday Morning until the end of school about the middle of June. Alon wants us to keep in mind that his primary purpose this year is his school. Special events, like tests, may require him to be away on certain Sundays. The meeting approves this minute and directs that it be sent to Monthly Meeting.

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Due to a special program being planned for Monthly Meeting night in December, no meeting on Ministry and Council will be held.

With no further business appearing, we conclude, to meet at the appointed time in Jan.

Hermon J. Lawrence
Clerk

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Lyons Monthly Meeting on Ministry and Council held at the Meeting House, Jan 16, 1968.

The minutes of the meeting held in November have been read and approved.

The meeting suggests that Hermon J. Lawrence be re-appointed as clerk, the meeting approves.

We have again considered the value of the "Upper Room" publication for the use of the members. While it is too late for the ~~use of the~~ Jan-Feb issue to be of much help, we will endeavor to have future copies available. The clerk will arrange for them.

The leaflets that have been available for members use are considered helpful and they will be continued.

1968 Jan
Cmt A minute from the yearly Meeting on
Ministry and Council has been read. We
feel that as this minute specifically deal
with Monthly Meeting business meetings,
no action is required by this meeting.

The committee to prepare the report
on the spiritual condition of the meeting
will be appointed next month.

We have considered the advisability
of the Elders being on the facing seat and
guiding the morning meeting. The clerk
will arrange a schedule for Elders and they
will be notified.

As there is no further business, we
conclude to meet at the appointed time
in February.

Simon J. Lammie
Clerk.

1968 Feb. Lygon Monthly Meeting on Ministry and
Council held at the Meeting House on Feb 14, 1968
The minutes of the January meeting
have been read and approved.

We welcome Alon Kolp, our acting
pastor with us tonight.

The following Friends are appointed to
prepare the report on the State of Society (formerly
the Spiritual Condition) for the Yearly Meeting,
Mayorie B. Charr and Corinne C. Foster. The
suggestion is approved that Alon Kolp may be

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invited to join in preparation of this report if desired. This report is to be considered at our April meeting.

Alon Kolf has presented a plan for a coffee-hour discussion group to meet at 10 AM each Sunday. We feel that this is worth a trial and approve the program to start on Mar. 1, 1968.

Due to the Annual Meeting in March we feel it would be best not to hold a meeting of this body at that time.

With no further appearing we conclude, to meet next at the appointed time in April, except on call of the Club if necessary.

Harmon Lawrence
Club.

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April

Lygum Meeting on Ministry and Council held at the Meeting House April 10, 1968.

The minutes of our meeting held in February have been read and approved.

The State of Society report of Lygum Meeting has been read. The meeting is distracted by some of the wording. Adjustments have been made and the revised report is approved and will be sent on to the Monthly Meeting. A copy is attached to these minutes.

We have listened with interest to a "Summer Prospectus" from Alon Kolf. In his

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Cont'd. letter he suggests that he would like to spend more time in hymn exploring possibilities that would increase interest and attendance at Hymn Meeting. Even though he has been with us a comparatively short time, he feels a deep concern for this meeting and desires to strengthen it. We have made it clear to him that our attendance would drop during the summer months, with several members being away.

The meeting has considered this proposal and have discussed it with Alon and are in approval of the ideas expressed.

As far as financial requirements are concerned, they are in favor of the meeting, because Alon has proposed that for the 3 months of June, July, and August the meeting will pay him \$40⁰⁰ instead of the \$20.⁰⁰ that he now receives. This will mean only a minor increase in the budget which could be handled from our surplus.

This being a minute that requires approval of the Monthly Meeting we direct that a copy be sent to that body with our recommendation for its approval.

With no further business, we conclude, to meet at the appointed time in May.

James J. Lawrence
Clerk.

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May

Lynn Meeting on Ministry and Council
held at the meeting house May 8, 1968

The minutes of the May meeting have
been read and approved.

As no meeting of the Quarterly Meeting
Ministry and Council is being planned for
Quarterly Meeting day no representatives are
appointed at this time.

Alon Kolf is unable (due to exams)
to be with us here little further to
consider at this time, so we conclude
to meet at the appointed time in June

Harmon Hammond
Chk.

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June

Lynn Monthly Meeting on Ministry
and Council held at the Meeting House June 12

The minutes of the meeting held in
May have been read and approved.

Information has been received from
the Quarterly Meeting arrangements comm
concerning future Quarterly Meetings on Ministry
and Council.

Beginning on Monday June 17, a
new study group will meet at 7:30 P.M.
The first meeting will be at the home of
the Richard Bone in Nahant. It is
recommended that future meetings will

1968 he held at the Meeting House.

June There is a possibility of a young
won't people meeting later.

With no further business, we conclude
to meet in September at the appointed time.
The meeting may be called before that time
if ~~it~~ deemed necessary.

Harmon Lawrence
Chk.

1968 Synod Meeting on Ministry and Council
Sept held at the Meeting House Sept 11, 1968.

The minutes of our meeting held in June
have been read and approved.

We had anticipated having Alon Kolp
with us at this meeting to consider plans
and possible programs for the coming year.
In his absence we have considered a number
of topics and general concerns, none have
received enough support to be presented
as a concern for action by this meeting.

With no further business we conclude
to meet in October at the appointed time.

Harmon Lawrence
Chk.

1968 Synod Meeting on Ministry and Council held at
Oct. the Meeting House Oct 9, 1968

The minutes of our meeting in September have
been read and approved

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Due to the very small number in attendance no formal meeting was held except the reading of the Sept minutes.

Several items concerning hymn meeting were considered.

Discussion seemed to center around why no Quarterly Meeting Ministry and Counsel meetings for nearly two years. It was decided that the Clerk should write a minute to the Quarterly Meeting and a copy to the Quarterly Meeting Arrangements Comm. This would serve to bring Ministry and Counsel before the Quarterly Meeting Session. The Minute follows;

To Clerk of Quarterly Meeting

At a meeting of Hymn Ministry and Counsel it was the opinion of the Meeting that some time should be allotted to Ministry and Counsel. No meeting has been held now for about two years. A meeting should be called and a new Clerk appointed so that business of Ministry and Counsel could be again continued.

On behalf of
Hymn Meeting on Ministry and Counsel
Herman J. Lawrence
Clerk.

Copy to 2nd Arrangements

The meeting then adjourned to meet at the appointed time in November

Herman J. Lawrence Clerk.

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Nov.

Lynn Monthly Meeting on Ministry and Council held at the Meeting House Nov. 13, 1968.

The minutes of the last meeting have been read and approved.

We have neglected to record a minute by which we approve having Alan Kolp with us until the close of his school year in 1969.

Alan Kolp has suggested that we again try the Sunday morning Dialogue Coffee hour. We approve this program and suggest that they start on Dec. 8, 1968.

We have had some discussion of the letter from the Quarterly Meeting Clerk in regard to Quarterly Meeting Ministry and Council. No definite statements are approved. It will be considered again before the convened meeting is called. This will be before the next Quarterly Meeting.

No further business appearing, we conclude to meet at the appointed time next month.

Harmon Lawrence
Clerk.

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Dec

Lynn Meeting on Ministry and Council held at the Meeting House, Dec 11, 1968

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Suggestions have been made that samples of other publications similar to the "Upper Room"

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might be reviewed, For the present we will continue to have the "Upper Room" available for the members who may wish to use it.

The leaflets also on the table will be continued. They will be included in the mailing of all news letters.

We have again discussed the letter from the Quarterly Meeting in regard to Quarterly Meeting on Ministry and Council. It is further planned to consider this letter so that Friends who will attend the meeting on Jan 12 will know the sense of this meeting.

With no further business we conclude, to meet at the appointed time next month.

Harmon J. Lawrence
Club.

1969
Jan

Lygon Meeting on Ministry and Council
held at the Meeting House Jan 8, 1969

The minutes of our last meeting have been read and approved.

It has been suggested that Harmon J. Lawrence continue as club for another year. This is approved.

The following Friends are appointed to prepare our annual "State of Society" report for Yearly Meeting. Richard S. Dove

1969 and Alon Kolf. This report should be given
 You at this meeting and forwarded promptly to the
 Unit. Monthly Meeting for its approval and then
 forwarded to the Quarterly Meeting.

No further business appears and we
 conclude to meet next month at the appointed
 time.

Thomas J. Lawrence
 Clerk

1969 Due to exceptionally inclement weather
 it was deemed necessary to call off the
 meeting in February.

1969 Due to the Annual Meeting of the hymn
 Unit. Meeting held in March no meeting is
 scheduled for Ministry and Council

1969 Hymn Meeting on Ministry and Council held at
 the Meeting House April 7, 1968

The minutes of the meeting held in January
 have been read and approved.

A meeting at Beacon Hill Friends House on
 Sat. April 26 has been announced. This meeting
 has been arranged to bring together Friends interested
 particularly in Ministry and Council. William Rogers
 is to be the general leader. Alon Kolf has told us
 that he plans to attend.

A called meeting of the Quarterly Meeting
 on Ministry and Council will be held at Cambridge

1969 on May 4th at 3 PM, Lowell Corbett and Annie
 Quint are appointed as our representatives.
 Con't. The report on "State of Society" of our Meeting
 has been read. After consideration, a new
 paragraph has been added concerning our inter-
 church activities and is then approved. It will
 be forwarded to the Monthly Meeting for its
 approval and then sent on to Quarterly Meeting.
 With no further business appearing, we
 conclude to meet at the appointed time in May.
 Herman J. Lamm, Clerk.

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